

# HOME NEWS

—Locals are scarce this week.  
—Hay harvesting is in full blast.  
—L. M. McClintic, Attorney, is in Va., this week on business.  
—We understand the Teachers Institute begins the 10th of August.

—Hon. Jas. E. Campbell was nominated for Governor of Ohio on the first ballot.

—Misses Mary and Pauline McNeel, of near Academy, were the guests of Mrs. Jno. J. Beard the latter part of last week.

—Mark M. Pomeroy, better known as "Brick" was in Charleston last week. He is well pleased with that portion of the State.

—Mr. H. P. McGlaughlin, of this place is in attendance at the unveiling of the Jackson monument at Lexington, Va., to day (Wednesday).

—Some of the officers of the K. & M. Railroad have been indicted by the Grand Jury of Kanawa county for negligence in causing the terrible accident that occurred near Charleston on the 4th of July.

—J. C. Louny, Jr., and Mrs. Wm. A. Grose have returned from the Webster Springs. Mrs. Grose is considerably improved in health, while it did not help Mr. Louny much.

—Josh B. McNeil, Esq., of Beaver Creek, is traveling the county, selling a pat. stove pipe shelf, which is the most convenient thing of the kind we have ever seen. No family can afford to do without it, at even twice the price.

—Lloyd Moore, Esq., son of the late Rev. Jas. E. Moore, and Miss Roscoe Bird, daughter of Uriah Bird, of Mill Point, were married today, at the home of the bride's parents. THE TIMES extend congratulations and best wishes for a happy and prosperous married life.

—Mr. R. V. Perkins, the miller at Mill Point, was in town Sunday, and informed us that he had never seen a better wheat crop raised in the Lovels than they have this year. Mr. Perkins has already ground some new wheat and is highly pleased with the turn out.

—Attorney Capt. Stoffer and N. C. McNeel and Squire Grose of this city attended a justice's trial at Marlinton, of Maaf. Waugh of near Edray for wilful trespass. He was remanded to await the action of grand jury in the sum of \$200, which amount he gave and was released.

—W. T. Slaven will visit each family in the County with a book called the "New Method" tells how to cure diseases without the use of drugs. He can furnish best of reference as to the results of the treatment of it. Sold at \$2.00 each.

—Is our little local notice last week in regard to Miss Duffie Marshall as assistant teacher in the Hillsboro Male and Female Academy, some of the teachers misunderstood its meaning. We meant that Miss Marshall stood first among the teachers of our county; that is we believe her to be as good a teacher as we have, which does not say she is the best. There are many others who no doubt are as good as the lady mentioned, and who get the same grade of certificate at the examination.

—There are five persons in our county jail—two charged with murder, one for forgery, one serving an 8 month sentence for malicious assault and one lunatic. The Bright boys who are in for murder seem to be in good spirits and are confident of getting cleared at our Oct. Court. They will have to be tried at the Oct. court or they go free, as more

—Dr. John M. Cunningham, of Ekray, Pocahontas county, is now visiting his parents at this place. We are glad to hear that he has been successful in practicing his profession. —Highland Recorder.

## Green Bank Items.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ralston are off on a visit to friends in Rock-bridge Co.

Mrs. J. B. Slaven and daughter Mrs. S. L. Brown, of Huntersville, who were visiting in this vicinity, returned home Tuesday.

Miss Hattie Patterson returned home last week from an extended visit to relatives in the Levels.

Mr. C. O. Arbogast has purchased and moved to the property near Green Bank, formerly owned by his father.

Messrs. C. A. Lightner, Wm. H. Hull and Dr. C. L. Austin are off to Lexington to be present at the unveiling at that place the 22nd.

Mr. W. A. Gladwell made a flying visit to McDowell last week.

Mr. Wilson of McDowell is boarding at the Central Hotel.

PAULINA.

## Hillsboro Happenings.

Miss Fannie Johnson of Virginia is visiting the family of Rev. C. Sydenstricker.

Mr. Theo. Brinkley of Frankford is now welding the yard stick behind Mr. Wm. H. Overholts counter. He is an expert clerk and salesman.

Miss G. M. Shearer returned last week from a three weeks trip in the interest of the Hillsboro Training School. Also Prof. Brown returned a few days ago off of a trip of the same kind in the interest of the H. M. & F. Academy.

Rev. D. B. Sydenstricker has been on the sick list the past week.

Miss Duffie Marshall who has attended three sessions of the Hillsboro Training school taught by Miss Shearer will assist Prof. Brown in the primary department of the Hillsboro Male and Female Academy the coming term. Miss Shearer trains her pupils well and we feel Miss Duffie will do her duty in the Academy.

The Hillsboro Cornet Band assisted by the ladies of Hillsboro and vicinity will give a lawn party next Saturday in the afternoon. A nice supper and refreshments of all kinds will be served. The entertainment will be interspersed throughout with amusement and music by the band. The public is cordially invited to attend, and a fine time promised. The band has improved rapidly since Mr. Stalling's return and have learned new pieces for the occasion.

Died, Col. R. G. Miller, Sunday evening at his home near Buckeye. Col. Miller is too well known to say much about him. His numerous friends all feel his troubles are ended and he has found a happier clime where sorrows and troubles are unknown. None of his children were permitted to be with him in his last moments except two daughters. His remains were laid to rest in the old Brick Church grave yard, where three sons were buried. The burial services were read by Rev. Wm. T. Price assisted by Rev. Abalom Sydenstricker. *Requiescat in pace.*

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## County Court Proceedings.

At a County Court held for the County of Pocahontas at the courthouse thereof, on the 14th day of July, 1891. Present, S. B. Hannah, president, C. E. Beard and G. M. Kee, commissioners:

J. H. Patterson was appointed a com'r. to make a settlement with M. J. McNeel, late sheriff.

H. A. Yeager, justice in Green Bank district resigned and Geo. W. Stipe was appointed in his place.

A levy was laid of 37 1/2 cents on the \$100.

It was ordered that a change be

from Charles Moore's to Frost. It was ordered that L. M. McClintic institute proceedings against Henry Woodrell and J. B. Bradshaw to condemn land for the Glade Hill and Green Bank road.

On motion of C. O. Arbogast, assessor license were granted to the following persons to keep private entertainment: W. W. McCoy and E. H. Moore, of Academy; Lourey & Doyle, G. W. Wagner and H. P. McGlaughlin, Huntersville; J. A. Ralston and P. D. Yeager, Travelers Rest; A. F. Herold, Frost; and J. C. Arbogast, Green Bank.

Charles Levisay to whom a contract was awarded for building the approach at the southern end of the bridge at Huntersville, declared in Court that he did not intend to build said approach, and J. H. Patterson, Amos Barlow and L. M. McClintic were appointed to advertise and receive bids for its construction.

M. J. White was ordered to expend \$25.00 in dressing up the road beginning at the Lockridge ford and ending at the top of the Alleghany mt.

Ordered that the contract be awarded Jno. E. Campbell to do the county printing for the year beginning July 16th '91 and ending July 16th '92, for the sum of \$50.

## To Build a Town.

PARKERSBURG, July 17.—A company was organized at Blennerhassett Hotel to be known as the Centralia Improvement Company for the purpose of building a town at Centralia, at the mouth of Laurel, on the Elk, on Senator Camden's West Virginia and Pittsburgh railway. The following officers were elected: President, Judge W. G. Bennet, Weston; Vice President, C. P. Dorr, Addison; Treasurer, J. S. Hyer, Sutton; Secretary and General Agent, Alfred Rheinstorm, Wheeling. Directors: Judge Henry Brannon, Weston; John H. Holt, Huntington; Judge W. G. Benton, Weston; R. P. Camden, Parkersburg; Jonathan Bennett, C. P. Dorr, A. Rheinstorm, J. S. Hyer, W. Mollohan.

## The Fair.

We clip the following from the Greenbrier Independent:

About six weeks hence the Greenbrier Industrial Exposition will hold its first annual Fair. We have in press, and will have for distribution in a few days the corrected programme. The catalogue offers premiums in every department. Our graziers should take pride in entering their fat, breeding and thoroughbred cattle; our horsemen, their horses, mares, fillies, colts and the finer grades; our housewives should vie with each other in producing from dairy, garden and kitchen some delicious specimens of their handiwork, and make an interesting exhibit. In the ornamental department should be exhibited embroidery, needlework, crocheting, rugs and Carpet, the work of the loom, along with flowers, crayons, drawings, etc.

We feel assured every one conceives it a duty to work for the success of the Fair, and show what we can do. The attractions are so varied and numerous that the managers are fully convinced that they will have a large number of exhibitors and visitors, and to secure space, stalls and pens entries should be made at once.

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## ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of West Va. County of Pocahontas, to-wit:  
A rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County on the first Monday of July, 1891.

Edwin T. Dudley, Rodney H. Dudley, Alexander P. Dudley, Earnest M. Dudley, Geo. W. McDonald, Aurelius Gilkison, Andrew G. Crawford and Wm. A. Crawford.

against  
Felix H. Hull, L. H. Huff and Lillie E. Huff, his wife, Edgar P. Hull, R. S. Turk, Adm'r of Elizabeth M. Turk, dec'd, J. C. Arbogast, Sheriff of Pocahontas County, and as such Adm'r de bonis non of F. H. Hull, dec'd, Benjamin F. Jackson, Layl Gay, late Sheriff of Pocahontas County, and as such Adm'r of Andrew G. Mathews, dec'd, Wm. H. McClintic and Mary Ann his wife, John W. Warwick, Jesse P. Bright, Adm'r of Kyle Bright, dec'd, James W. Johnston, Sheriff of Greenbrier County and as such Adm'r de bonis non of Joseph W. Long, dec'd, S. W. N. Peunster and Annie E. his wife, Warwick W. McClung, E. G. Brownlee and Mary E. his wife, Sherman L. Clark, L. H. Stephenson, Wm. Skeen, D. C. McClung, Adm'r of James M. Seig, dec'd, Samuel A. Wilson, John C. Price, Wm. Gibson and James H. Renick.

## IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to convey the creditors of Felix H. Hull, dec'd, subrogate the plaintiffs and other purchasers of the land in the case of Hull's chasers of the land in the case of Hull's Adm'r and widow vs. Hull's heirs and others in the Circuit Court to the rights of said creditors, and enforce the payment of said debts by sale of the lands of said Felix H. Hull, dec'd, and it appearing by affidavit filed that the defendants Felix H. Hull, L. H. Huff and Lillie E. Huff, his wife, Edgar P. Hull, L. H. Stephenson, Wm. Skeen, Samuel A. Wilson, E. G. Brownlee and Mary A. his wife are non residents of this State, it is ordered that they do appear here within one month after the date of here publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Teste J. H. PATTERSON, Clk.

Robert T. Parish, J. H. Stephenson, John W. Stephenson, Jr., July 24.

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## ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of West Virginia, County of Pocahontas, to-wit:  
At rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County on the first Monday of July 1891.  
Wm. M. McAllister

Sam'l C. Tardy Sr. and Sam'l C. Tardy Jr.

The object of this suit is to enforce the payment of the proportion of certain judgment due by said defendants, recovered by Frank Barrett against the plaintiffs and defendants, the said judgment now being the property of said plaintiffs, and in satisfaction of the same to sell the interest of the defendants in 2.97 acres of land lying in the "Old field fork" of Elk river in Pocahontas county, west Virginia, and it appearing by affidavit filed, that the defendant Samuel C. Tardy, Sr. and Sam'l C. Tardy Jr., are non residents of this State, it is ordered that they do appear here within one month after the date of the first publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Teste J. H. PATTERSON, Clk.

Charles F. Jones, Jr., July 24.

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## IN THE CANON.

### A Terrific Battle between Rattlesnakes.

"About the most exciting fight I ever saw," observed old Matt Towle, the prospector and mountaineer, "was one between rattlesnakes. You never seen one?" he continued, interrogatively, observing the look of interest on the part of his listener. "No more did I till a few years ago. Young man even if you have traveled 'bout this coast considerable, you know I started out afore you're born, and what it took me thirty-five years to first lay eyes upon you'd hardly expect to see in a few years' skirmishing."

"In '82 me and Jack Jennings went down to Gonsight district a prospecting, and while we took care to keep in Arizona we made camp at a tank not very far—ten miles or so—from the Mexican line. Water being scarce that year we had to locate a tank, even if the indications for minerals was good or not, but as luck would have it we struck a pretty promising lead—it was a true contact—and began sinking a little hole to find out what she was worth. For eight or nine weeks we kept up our work with out seeing a living soul except a coyote or a jack rabbit, but as the location was showing up fine we didn't particularly care for company."

"What's the matter with a rattlesnake fight?" said Jack to me one day when we were keeping Sunday for a change, although we had lost all track of Sundays."

"I told him pretty sharply that I had never heard of one, and then he went on to tell how he was in the San Juan country in Colorado, where the boys worked up a fight between two different dens of rattlers and had lots of fun. He said he knew where there were two sets of serpents, not far from the camp, that were fast coming out for the summer campaign, and he thought there was a good chance for us to have considerable fun with the pizenous devils. I am not struck on rattlers as a general thing, but we set out for the place, Jack carrying a canteen of Mexican whiskey and me one of water."

"Pretty soon we came to a place where the water had cut across a ledge of limestone running across the gulch, leaving precipices about twenty-five feet high and about thirty feet apart at the top. At the bottom was a dry sand wash eight or ten feet wide and three or four feet above, irregular shaped shelves had been cut in each wall of the limestone. Sure enough these shelves were literally covered with rattlesnakes, stretched out at full length, warming themselves in the sun. I saw that there was two different gangs—those on my side being the black and white kind, short and stubby, which stay in the mountains and are always quick and vicious, while Jack's crowd was made up of the big, lanky, yellow spotted fellows, from five

deserts in the summer time, camp in holes with the prairie dog and ground owl, and can't crawl around more than three hours in the twenty-four without getting their bellies scorched by the hot sun. I counted exactly twenty of the blacks and calculate that there must have been twenty-five or thirty of the larger kind on the other side of the arroyo."

"We began dropping clods of dirt, bits of rock and cholla burrs down among the reptiles and soon disturbed their happy dreams. One after another coiled himself up and set his rattle agoing, while they darted their ugly heads around in every direction, trying to find out what was the difficulty. The sharper they looked for something to bite the madder they got and the louder they rattled, till at last their noise sounded like a drum corps leading a Fourth of July procession. When ever they'd slack up a little another cholla burr would start 'em up worse than ever. Finally, as they couldn't see us each gang seemed to conclude that the other was kicking up all the disturbance, and they all started down for the sand wash. Some were so mad and vicious that they didn't even stop to crawl, but rolled down in the sand all in a lump, so as to be on hand when the performance opened."

"When they all got down and it was a dead sure thing the game was 'bout to open, Jack sang out to me: 'Mat, I'll bet you my half in the Silver Stirrup agin youn that my side wins.'"

"Now, Jack is a thoroughbred gambler, but he had more and bigger snakes than I did. Besides this, I thought a good deal of the Silver Stirrup, which was the name of our mine, and didn't like to play big stakes agin such odds. But if I let him bluff me out I knowed I'd never hear the last of it, so I sang back: 'I'll go you,' and plunked a cholla buri square among my gang of reptiles."

"This opened the ball, and at the very start I saw I had a chance for my white alley. The captain of Jacks crowd got out upon a rock behind his men, where he was dead safe, and did nothing but rattle, while my leader a glossy, black fellow, about two and a half feet long, cut a pattern for his band to follow, and then they all went at it like mad, a-rattling and a-hissing and a-biting, so you could hardly tell which was which. There eyes were like beads of fire, there tales moved so fast you couldn't see 'em, and their heads shot here and there like flashes of lightning. It was a terrible sight, and mighty exciting, and Jack and me was a yelling and shouting like Apaches."

"Inside of three minutes after the fight opened only two rattlers were alive—Jack's big snake which still stayed upon the rock, and my captain, who had put the kibosh on three or four of the big clumsy serpents without getting a scratch himself. The little black fellow was dead game, and he kept waitzing around the rock, trying to get the big yellow toward to come off and finish the fight. But Jack's snake seemed to want the best of the game all the way through, and showed no sign of giving up the advantage he held."

"So interested was Jack and me in watching the jockeying and waiting for the outcome that we didn't see nothing else. All of a sudden we heard the 'thud! thud!' of a deer's feet upon the ground, and right before our eyes a big fine buck sprang into the air, and holding all four feet so close together that they'd strike upon a silver dollar, he hit fair and square upon Jack's big serpent. There wasn't as much as a button of his rattles left. You know a deer hates a rattlesnake like an Indian does soap. Well, that buck must have been traveling around there when he

thought it a good time to get in his work on his natural enemy, which he did to the Queen's taste."

"The Silver Stirrup is all mine!" I shouted to Jack, and began cheering."

Tenderer—"I feel it just as much, my dear little boy," said papa after he had spanked Billykins. "Y yes," sobbed Billykins. "B-but n-not in the a-same p-place."

"Were you ever in an engagement, major?"

"Oh, yes; several. But you see I escaped harm."

"Never was wounded, eh?"

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"Why, Mr. Ardent, how ungallant of you to say you thought I was thirty-two?"

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## Letter From Dr. Hudson.

The following letter we clip from Union Star (Mo.) Comet, written by Dr. W. M. Hudson:

GREEN BANK, W. Va., June 27.  
 EDITOR Comet: Here we are, lost right in the heart of the Alleghany mountains, at the headwaters of the Greenbrier and James rivers, the latter coursing east and feeding the Atlantic ocean at York town, the former flowing west through the Ohio, and Mississippi to the gulf, and on its way mingling with the waters of Platte and Third Fork.

We left Union Star on the 9th and were just thirty six hours reaching Roncovevte, Greenbrier county, West Virginia, and from there we had an up and down and rough and tumble stage ride of 72 miles over the steepest, wildest, grandest and most picturesque scenery this side of the Rockies, many places so steep that a mishap or upset would have hurled the stage hundreds of feet to the foot of the mountain.

Since our arrival here we have been hunting fishing and climbing mountains day in and day out, and it is no child's play to climb mountains here, but fine sport to fish. We went up to the creek yesterday and caught 200 mountain trout, the real genuine, speckled, frisky fellows. They give the angler a double dose of sport; first in catching them, and then in eating them. The only fish here are the trout and bass, and the streams are clear and cold and fed by mountain springs, cold as ice, in every direction. You may just whisper to our friends that we are having a big old time. Of course you will know it is high time when I tell you we are on top of the Alleghany range, 5,000 to 6,000 feet above the level of the sea. To give you a rough idea, a very rough idea of what some think of the height of these mountains and depth of the valleys, let me give you a rude but expressive verse, carved on the bark of a tree in one of the deepest recesses of this mountain chain by some reckless poetic vag. It reads thus:

"These mountains are as high as heaven,  
 And these valleys deep as hell;  
 But the people living on them  
 Are very kind and treat us well."

Yes, the chief characteristics of these mountain people are kindness and hospitality. They abhor avarice and selfishness, so much cherished and practiced in many other parts. They live a slower life than we do in the west; they work and eat and sleep slower, they ride and drive and plow slower, and this aids them in living happy and longer than we do. We live two years while they live one. We tax our energies and exhaust our strength in the middle of the heat; they reserve theirs for the home stretch.

There is still a good supply of game in these mountains, such as bear, deer and wild turkeys, but hard to find at this season of the year. If it was fall or winter, the boys vow they would never return home without a pair of buck horns and a bear skin with which to astonish their school mates.

They have had an excellent season here and crops look well. It is a fine grazing country, but inferior to all other products of the farm. As an evidence of this, corn is worth 25 per bushel, while hay is plenty and cheap. The stores are like everything else—empty and away behind the age. Their trade is in the hands of a few men, and they are not doing much business.

saloon in it; and furthermore, there is not one drug store or distillery in the county either, and yet there are plenty of rattlesnakes. Is this not strange? How paradoxical it seems. Many in the west would not believe it. Just think of it—the mountains full of snakes and not a saloon, drug store or distillery in the county, and 72 miles to the drug store. Why, I knew men in Missouri who would die from the sheer thought of such a predicament. And yet it ought to teach a wholesome lesson to all who think they cannot and dare not live in a snakey country without a jug full of antidote hid about the house or stable. What do people drink here? Beer? No; there has not been a keg of beer in the country for ten years. They go to the pure, cold springs, so abundant here, and drink the pure liquor distilled up in these mountains by the Almighty, and that is what paints the rosy blush of health on their cheeks instead of these noses. Let us profit by their example by doing likewise.

We see but few familiar faces and friends whom we left thirty five years ago. What sad and wonderful changes these years have wrought. Here and there one with some of the old landmarks in his face, but alas! how few. Ah me! so many have crossed over the dark, silent and mysterious river while some have taken Greeley's advice and floated west with the tide of empire, till nearly all familiar faces are gone and nothing remains as it was in my boyhood, except those dear old hills and mountains and springs and creeks and rivers. May God bless them and their people. I will soon leave the, and only on the tablets of my memory will I see them hereafter, I fear. But it may be I will come again, for there will soon be a railroad through here and then the trip will be short and easy. We leave for home in about a week.

W. M. H.

### PUNGENT POINTS.

The devil has lots of silent partners in the world.

A great many people get into the swim who can't swim.

The full of life never has been graded and never will be.

A pessimist is a man who says it hurts to have teeth pulled.

If we are true to the present, we can expect much of the future.

Does any man ever know when he stops being agreeable and becomes a bore?

Suspicion of wrong doing breaks up more homes than actual wrong doing.

There are a thousand and one ways of making money; there is only one way to save it.

The sooner we learn the futility of all human kind, the sooner we respect ourselves.

The best friends a man has are those who are never called upon to prove their friendship.

No man ever forgot to charge his friends up with all the things he promised to do for them.

When woman obeys a man, she is his delight; when man obeys woman, he earns her contempt.

Love is a sacred matter, but it is difficult for a woman to make her fourth or fifth lover believe it.

If a man can learn to forget himself, he is in a very fair way of earning popularity by remembering others.

If it takes a man to kiss a man, why doesn't it take a woman to kiss a woman?

## Alliance News.

### Late Matters of Interest Pertaining to the Order.

The Montezuma Record, (Ga.) says: Why not boom farming for awhile? It has been run down long enough. Let us turn off the chronic grumblers who have had such a glorious feast for the past fifteen years. There is no sense in running down the best business on the earth. Now is a good time to talk up farming and keep talking it up until we make it easy for a farmer to borrow money at a reasonable rate.

Garden City Alliance: The government is now loaning money to the people, through the medium of national banks as loan agents, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum. The people demand that this money shall be loaned direct to them at the rate of 2 per cent per annum. The difference to the borrower is this: \$1,000 loaned at 10 cent per annum, compound interest, in twenty years amounts to \$6,722.50, while the same amount loaned for the same length of time at 2 percent, amounts to but \$1,485. The difference between these two sums is the profits of the banks for acting as loan agents for the government. The people simply demand that the government shall act as its own loan agent and save them these enormous profits.

If the movement inaugurated by the Alliance is right, and we believe it is, none should be more ready to give it their sanction than our merchants, who are aware of the fact that anything that will rebound to the good of our farmers will be of good to them also. If the sub-treasury idea will as a means for which it is intended, get more money in circulation in the country, no one will feel the good arising from it more perceptibly than the merchant. And it is offered by the Alliance as a way to get more money into circulation, and at a low rate of interest which the producer can stand. If the Alliance is the means of getting \$50 per capita in the circulation there will be more to spend and more goods will be bought. No one will question this statement. Then would not the merchant profit by it? He most certainly would, and we believe that in a majority of cases the farmers and laborers have the good will of the merchant in their endeavors to bring about these measures.—Commercial.

More than 1,000 voters join the colored Alliance every day that the sun rises. Suppose, then, that twice as many join the Farmers Alliance, Total 3,000 daily. Surely the traitors who are trying to stay among us and oppose our demands will take this hint and pull out. Politicians who have mocked stay at home, and partisan newspapers who have spent their energies to throw contempt upon us may prepare for earnest work. Ministers of the gospel who have left their sacred calling to heap scurrilous remarks upon our members and officers because we tried to help and save the down-trodden poor, may find their roads to the warm climate they speak of spotted with many leagues. Surely the puppets that feel no interest in 2,000,000 American citizens turned into common tramps, that hear without a tear of 3,000,000 American maidens driven to hawdy houses and other dens of shame for shelter and food that thousands of children are starving and dying, will find their way to the land of the living.

in holy Pennsylvania are spending the holy Sabbath visiting thousands of American families, not the ex at its roots. Lord send us another John the Baptist with an ax. Or if more in accord with "Thy providences," water the Alliance with Thy truth that they may continue to and do Thy will. Amen!—National Alliance.

### The Laboring Man Gets Left.

It is reported that the employees in one of the big cloak-making establishments of Cleveland were recently notified that a reduction of wages was necessary.

The fella were under the impression that their pay was small enough any way and so walked out of the shop in a body.

This is one of the protective industries and it furnishes a good illustration of the kind of prosperity we shall enjoy when the McKinley bill gets a good head of steam on.

Mr. McKinley has crowded his pet illusion down the throats of a patient people and it is bringing about a condition of affairs which is just what we don't want.

The wage-earner looked forward to a higher reward for labor, but instead of that his income is cut down ten per cent.

However, he may possibly like it, and if he does we have nothing to say.—N. Y. Herald.

### THE LIEUTENANT LOST HIS BEER.

"How is it, Lieutenant," asked a young man of a gray-mustached naval officer, "that with your many years of sea life, involving, no doubt, many strange adventures, one never hears you relate your experiences of the sea?"

"Well," was the answer, "I will relate to you a little instance of misphrasing confidence. Some years ago I was attached to a ship on the China station. One night it was my turn to take the midwatch. I settled myself on the starboard bridge-rail.

"In a few moments I noticed a commotion in the water close to the ship. There appeared not more than a half cable length from where I was standing a most gigantic sea serpent. I had often read of such things, but had never believed in them, but I could not doubt the evidence of my own eyes. In a moment it vanished, to reappear the next instant almost under our bow. The moon was shining brightly and I got a good look at it. The monster's head was full the size of an ordinary flower-barrel and it was at least twelve feet above the water.

"It disappeared in a few moments. The next morning at breakfast I related my experience to my brother officers, and soon after turned into my bunk. Just before lunch I felt like drinking a glass of beer, and ringing for the boy, ordered him to bring me a bottle. The rascal didn't appear in a reasonable time and I rang again. 'What's the matter with the beer, Jim?' I asked.

"'Nuthin' de matter wid de beer, Mr. Bobstay."

"Then why don't you bring it?"

"Can't do it, Mr. Bobstay. De doctor dun stopped yore beer. Said dat a pussou dat sees such snakes as you was talking about dis morning orn't to hab no more beer."

"And that is the reason I don't like to tell remarkable stories.—N. Y. Times.

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Thanking our friends and patrons very much for their patronage and past favors, and believing we can do better in the future, we ask them to stick to us as we will to them and do for us as we will do for them.

Senator Hall makes a very big mistake if he really thinks, as he recently said, that reciprocity is to crowd out the tariff and silver as issues in the presidential campaign.

"The republican party is in a bad shape at the North," writes a republican correspondent of the New York Tribune. He might just as well have added East, West and South, for the g. o. p. is in bad shape everywhere.

The hardest thing for republican speakers and editors in Ohio to explain is, why wool is cheaper now than it was before the McKinley bill became a law, instead of higher, as Maj. McKinley had assured his wool-raising constituents that it would be.

Will the next republican national convention dare to put the one cent letter postage plank, which was conspicuous in its last platform, and which has been utterly disregarded by the present administration, into its platform?

It will certainly be queer if woman suffrage becomes one of the issues upon which the next parliament of Great Britain is elected, and yet recent remarks of Lord Salisbury in favor of the issue and of woman suffrage make it apparent that such an issue is probable.

The farmers of Ohio will have an excellent opportunity this fall to express their opinion of the high tariff legislation of the republican party, which taxes them for the benefit of a few "protected" manufacturers, and there is little doubt that the opinion will be most emphatic.

One by one the big republicans are declining to accept the nomination of their party for Governor of New York. The meaning is plain. These gentlemen are not ambitious of leading a political forlorn hope, nor of opening their barrels for nothing. New York is naturally a democratic state, and this year the party is so thoroughly united that victory is assured in advance.

The New York Herald has been doing a bit of excellent service for the poor of this country by showing up a number of the corporations or organized solely to catch the savings of the honest and industrious working man and woman by glittering promises of great benefits to follow small investments in their stock. Only a paper as wealthy and as widely circulated as the Herald could afford to expose these concerns, which are often bolstered up by the names and influence of men of prominence.

When the amendment to the McKinley tariff bill provided for the payment of a bounty to the American sugar producer was before Congress it was estimated and so stated in public by republicans that it would not cost over \$7,000,000 a year, and a longheaded democrat who predicted that the payments under the amendment, if it became a law would not be less than \$10,000,000 for the first year and after that much larger, was hooted at by the republicans. Now let us see which statement was nearest the truth. The Internal Revenue at Washington has made up from official data an estimate of the sugar product of the present fiscal year and its figures are 539,710,000 pounds on which the bounty will be \$11,134,000, or nearly twice as much as the largest republican estimate.

## WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our regular correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 24th—

The Harrison crowd were badly stampeded by the publication in this correspondence last week of the fact that the Blaines had in the slaug of the day "got onto" their scheme of making Mr. Blaine too ill, in the newspapers, to think of being a candidate next year, and do nals have been the order of the day ever since, but the Blaine fellows are by no means satisfied with denials because they have in their possession a number of republican papers which printed Washington specials supposing them to be sent by "Lige" Halford's protege and therefore be not only true but to be strictly in accordance with the sentiment of the administration, or rather its head, and they refuse to believe that it is a mere coincidence that these papers are all anti-Blaine sheets. They don't think the excuse that "Lige's" protege was out of town and that these anti-Blaine specials were sent by a substitute is a satisfactory one. The oddest part of this comedy of errors "is that these super-serviceable Harrison men have offended the man they were trying to help and they have been sharply lectured, by the proxy, by Mr. Harrison, who however much he may fear Mr. Blaine doesn't approve of this method of disposing of him. The whole affair is furnishing no end of amusement for democrats.

It is now stated at the State Department that the arbitrators in the Behring sea controversy will soon be appointed, an agreement having been reached between the department and Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British Minister, and the papers sent to Mr. Harrison.

A gentleman from Texas, who although prominent in that State is no modest that he doesn't wish his name mentioned, has, by a few words more or less carelessly spoken, give those interested in the Speakership contest something to think a bout. He said: "There is considerable pressure being brought

to bear upon Gov. Hogg to persuade him to call an extra session of the legislature. He has not given no intimation of his intentions, but if he calls the extra session one of the duties will be to elect a United States Senator, and I rather think that Representative Mills would be elected although a combination of the other aspirants, among whom are the Governor and Mr. Chilton, who was so promptly named by the Governor as successor to Senator Reagan, might result in his defeat." If the legislature of Texas should meet in extra session any time before next December it is certain that some very strong democratic influence from outside of that State will be brought to bear to get Mr. Mills elected Senator, because that would remove him from the Speakership contest and a number of other gentlemen are ready and willing to go into a good natured catch-as-catch-can scramble for the votes that have been pledged to Mr. Mills for speakership, which would be released by his election to the Senate.

Representative Oates, of Alabama, who is here on business, loses no opportunity to warn the Southern democrats of the danger which he thinks menaces it in the Farmer's Alliance. He said: there are certain men who have joined hands with the Alliance simply with a desire to advance their personal interests and pull down every man who has gained any political prominence. Unless the democrats of the South come to some understanding and determine to live up to the principals of the democratic party, the Alliance, in its efforts to dominate that section may capture Alabama, Georgia and the two Carolinas.

It caused little surprise here to learn that Secretary Foster will become a candidate for the Senate, in case the republicans elect the legislature in Ohio this year, as it has been known for some time that the administration influence would be thrown against Foraker.

The Spanish minister hurriedly returned to Washington this week from Cape May where his family are now staying, and there is an unverified rumor that there is a hitch somewhere regarding the reciprocity agreement with Spain, which for some reason Mr. Harrison has never yet made public. The usual mysterious silence is preserved at the department and the minister will say nothing further than that he was called to Washington on important business.

It is extremely difficult just now to find a cabinet officer in Washington; they fit in one day and out the next and are more intent upon having a good time than in attending the business of the Government.

Under the reorganization of the Postoffice department just completed the First Assistant Postmaster General will attend to many things that have been looked after by Mr. Wannamaker and that gentleman will have more time to look after his private business, in order that he may be in a position to make a large campaign contribution next year. This is reform!

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The contractor must file separate bids for school house and desks and an aggregate bid for both. He must also file with said bid, bond with good security in double the amount of his bid. The Board obligates itself to pay \$150.00 on completion of the work the residue, if any, in one year from that date. It also reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
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—W. T. Slaven will visit each family in the County with a book called the "New Method" tells how to cure diseases without the use of drugs. He can furnish best of reference as to the results of the treatment of it. Sold at \$2.00 each.

### Dunmore Doings.

The roughest road that we have traveled over since the war is up Clover creek and across Elk mt. We found the road good between Split Rock and Edray, and much improvement going on in that section.

We found lots of business going on at Edray.

The Farmers Alliance is booming all over the County, except in Green Bank district. We must get a hustle on us or we will be left.

Rev. J. A. McCall has returned to his circuit.

We notice the Court did not make any arrangements to have a bridge built across the river at Sitlington's creek.

Prof. G. E. Swecker, of Crabhoton, Va., was out this week and got a load of furniture for the Lutheran parsonage at that place.

Morgan Wakeman leaves today for his new home in Orange county, Va.

Mr. B. F. McElwee leaves today for Ronceverte. He has had patented a section box for mowing machines which beats anything in the U. S.

Dunmore is about to get on a boom. We have one store and will soon have two more. Opposition is the life of trade.

Singing at X road school house Aug. 2nd, at 2 p. m.

Singing at Baxter church the 9th of August.

The furniture and organ for the new church at this place have come. Capt. Smith is off for Ronceverte. T. S.

### INSTITUTE NOTICE.

The Teachers Institute for Pocahontas County will convene in Huntersville, August 10th, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The law requires that all teachers attend some Institute. Those who hold four years certificates not exempt.

Teachers will be required to put in full time or no certificates granted. Examination at close of Institute.

All applicants for first grade certificates must attend this examination.

M. G. MATHEWS, Co. Supt.

### H. T. SCHOOL.

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To trade a very fine solid gold watch for a good horse. Call at THE TIMES office.

—Subscribe for THE TIMES.  
—Read the Alliance news on the first page.  
—Mr. M. G. Mathews, County Supt. was in town Monday.  
—Mr. Jno. J. Beard and daughter Mrs. O. F. Moore, started Monday for Webster Springs, where they will spend several weeks for their health.  
—In this issue will be found an interview with ex-Senator Camden by a Wheeling register reporter, in regard to the West Virginia and Pittsburg railroad, which will be very interesting to the enterprising citizens of our county.  
—Mrs. Minnie Early and little son Forest who have been visiting her parents at this place for several weeks past, started for her home in Union, Monroe Co., Monday, accompanied by her brother J. C. Loary, Jr., Esq.  
—R. M. Rutledge, Esq., the mail carrier between this place and Dunmore, had the misfortune to let his horse run off Monday, near Mr. Jno. McCutcheon's. No serious damage was done except to smash up his cart considerably.  
—On the first page will be found a letter from Dr. Hudson, who moved from the upper end of this County to Mo., about 35 years ago. He came back on a visit a month or two ago, and wrote back to his home paper of his trip and our country.  
—The Huntersville Farmers Alliance met last Saturday and elected officers for the ensuing year. It will meet again the 2nd Saturday in August, and at which time there is important business to transact, and it is earnestly requested of every member to be present. It is the duty of every Alliance man or woman to be present at these meetings, and do everything in their power to promote its interests. There is no use in having an order if we do not attend the meetings and take interest enough in it to keep it up.  
—Mr. Decatur Axtell, vice President of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad, of Richmond, Va. and Dan'l O'Connell Esq., were in Huntersville last Friday night. Mr. Axtell was looking over the survey of the extension of his road, made a month or two ago to this place. He also visited Marlinton, six miles below here, and was very much pleased with the grade between here and there; it being only a fall of 20 feet to the mile, which is a most excellent grade for a rail road. It is not definitely known yet, as we understand, whether the C. & O. will meet the West Virginia and Pittsburg road at this place or at Marlinton; but it is an assured fact that the roads will be built next summer. Mr. Axtell was very much pleased with our country, and remarked when he started the next morning that the next time he came he would come on the railroad.  
—The County Court of Bath County, have built a most excellent road from Warm Springs to the top of Alleghany mountain, about 8 miles above here, and placed mile posts on the same, which would be very convenient to the traveling public, if they would keep a man at each one to explain the signs, or probably a card tacked on them with explanations in detail would answer. The following is a facsimile of the first post you come to going east, and if any one can explain the meaning they can do more than we can:  
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17 7  
and 3  
15 8  
and 8  
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August 6, 1891.

Under a new law in Georgia, when a doctor is convicted of drunkenness he can no longer practice medicine in that State. The idea is either to diminish the number of drunkards, or the number of doctors, or the death rate, or something of that sort.

Charles Leonard, a burglar, broke into a New York Saloon, and before opening the safe sat down and smoked a couple of cigars from the case on the bar. Soon after a policeman found him sick and helpless on the floor. Any man who has smoked an ordinary saloon cigar will admire the burglar's courage while denouncing his indiscretion.

### CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellow-men. Motivated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. NORRIS, 520 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.

### Wants of The Alliance.

How does the Memphis Appeal-Avalanche know so well that they only want a part of what they say they want. All over the south and west there is a demand for free cottage of silver, not confined to the farmers, but Mr. Cleveland says we don't want free cottage, and straight way the "thicks and thins" begin to squirm and to admit that may hap they have been too hasty, and possibly Mr. Cleveland is right. Now, some of these farmers are very intelligent men—Polk of North Carolina, Harkdale of Mississippi, Beverly of Virginia, and Macune of Texas, are quite as intellectual men as Mr. Cleveland. It is not, therefore, barely possible that these men are right. Let us deal fairly with the question. If we do not think it is the best thing, let us suggest something better. If it will not bear analysis, show it; but do not meet with the antiquated wall that farmers don't know their wants, and that it will disturb the party. If the discussion of questions vital to the welfare of the people will disrupt the party, then let the party be disrupted, and if the farmers don't know what they want, then let some of the wise ones tell us why.—The Rural Workman.

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## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

For the year ending June 30, 1891.

M. J. McNeel, Late Sheriff, in account with Pocahontas County.

	Cr.	Dr.
To Balance due County July 8th, 1890		\$1387 15
" Levy on Personal Property for 1890		1358 73
" " " Real Estate " " "		4939 83
" " " Town Lots " " "		31 49
By County orders paid and returned	\$6743 87	
" " " " " " "	638 86	
" Real Estate Delinquent List	61 76	
" Personal Property " " "	15 31	
" Commissions on \$6252.98 Net.		468 97
Levy at 7 1/2 per cent.		7928.77 7717.20
Balance due Sheriff		\$211.57

The following persons		Geo W Arbogast	6 10
were paid amounts op-		C P Corbett	3 45
posite their names res-		Geo M Sheets	5 00
pectively for services as		O M Alderman	5 20
Grand and Petit Jurors		A P McGlaughlin	3 20
for the fiscal year ending		Amos McGlaughlin	3 25
June 30, '90 as per vouchers		Oscar Orndorff	5 30
returned:		David Grogg	5 40
James A McClure	\$4 10	W B Hannah	4 20
Francis McCoy	4 40	O W S Ginn	6 20
Alvin Clark	4 90	P M Harper	5 20
Samuel D. Price	5 10	C P Corbett	3 40
same	3 60	Peter N Diley	5 20
Jos S McNeel	3 00	Adam C Moore	5 20
H N Clark	5 95	Hugh Dever	3 80
Edgar Smith	4 30	Geo W Kerr	6 60
S A McCarty	7 10	Benj Collins	5 50
E F Nottingham	3 10	Samuel J Sutton	5 40
Jas Gibson, Jr	3 30	Willis McComb	3 40
John Young	3 80	S P Carry	3 05
J R Perkins	5 60	John R Warwick	4 90
Mason Williams	5 40	same (1889)	4 90
H H McClintic	4 00	Harvey Nottingham	4 80
Joel O Hill	7 05	J P Wooddell	5 00
O W Poage	4 20	Geo D Oliver	5 00
R W Hill	6 35	same	5 20
H M Morrison	5 70	Jos F Moore	4 40
Giles Sharp	4 40	Thos R Beverage	5 70
same	3 00	Sheldon Moore	3 00
S C B Kinnison	6 25	C A Lightner	3 90
W W McCo	4 70	N S Alderman	3 60
John Anderson	5 60	S R Hogsett	5 00
M F Rockman	4 40	W W Arbogast	6 60
Peter Hill	5 60	R D Rime	5 20
Mathews Rockman	4 20	J B Piles	3 30
David Sullivan	5 70	W K Rider	3 70
H B Gay	4 70	James Collins	5 50
Henry Barlow	4 16	Zane Moore	4 30
John W Taylor	4 10		
Paul Sharp	4 00		
			\$628 86

List of persons to whom County Drafts were issued which were paid and returned by the Sheriff for the fiscal term ending June 30, 1891:

M A Dunlap, 3 cases Lunacy	15 00
L M Waugh, making coffin	4 50
J W Malcomb, road claim	5 75
H S Flesher, med. atten. S Kellison	20 00
same " " Holmes	13 25
John J Beard, making off Land Books	75 00
Geo W McKeever, road claim	5 50
J N Hite " " "	1 50
Jno B Poage " " "	8 00
same " " "	5 50
A C L Gatewood " " "	3 00
A B Smith, 2 coffins for paupers	10 00
F T McClintic, births and deaths	9 00
A N Barlow, road claim	7 00
Jacob S Moore, Supt of road	9 00
Wm H Andridge, same	4 50
W T Cameron, examining lunatic	5 00
J C Price, road claim	8 85
Levi Gay, view of road	2 00
Peters & Gay plank on road	15 00
Mrs E S Gay, keeping Stephen Diley	20 00
C C Silvers, road claim	3 00
M J McNeel services as Sheriff	175 00
John Waugh, Jr., plowing on road	10 50
same witness (12 miles and tolls)	2 30
same road claim	3 50
S W Gay, plowing on road, bal.	2 75
N G Barlow, examining lunatic	2 55
same cost in Burgess case	1 20
Jno M Bathif plowing on road	5 00
same road	5 00
Jno A Waugh, arresting lunatic &c	6 45
W O Jack, work on road	7 50
same road claim	3 00
same work on turnpike	4 00
J W Taylor, witness (10 miles and toll)	2 10
Geo P Moore, making 3 coffins for paupers	14 00
same plank for culvert	1 20
same Com'r court	30 00
Barlow & Moore assign of C R Eubank	8 40
same sundries	7 10
C O Arbogast salary as assessor	325 00
A K Dyard road claim	5 00
Dr and Wallace	6 00
same	19 00
same med. atten. to J Welford	20 00
same " " H Webster	10 00
same J Baldwin and	20 00
same	25 00
Geo Baxter, surveying	13 00
same later at June Term, 1890	4 00
J J Beard, salary as C P C O C	175 00
same " " " C P C	100 00
Eliza McCarty, work on pear farm	51 15
Jas A Lauer, med. atten. to H Webster	22 00
same S Kellison and	46 00
same returning births and deaths	8 75
same examining lunatics	5 00

\$3000

—The H. T. school building is being enlarged in order to accommodate its own boarders for the coming session.

### Faculty:

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### ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

At rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County West Virginia, on the first Monday in August 1891.

K. J. Thompson Executrix of Wm. Thompson Deceased, Plaintiff

vs.

W. G. Gilkeson Defendant.  
The object of this suit is to attach the estate of the defendant W. G. Gilkeson, in the State sufficient to pay the sum of \$468.87 with interest thereon from the 17th day of June 1889, till paid, which is the amount of said Judgment obtained by plaintiff against said defendant including \$7.80 cost on said judgment, and the cost of this suit.

And it appearing by affidavit filed, that the defendant, W. G. Gilkeson, is a non residence of this State, it is ordered that he do appear here at the next rule day, after the first publication of this Order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Teste: J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

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# HOME NEWS

—Attorney B. S. Turk, of Staunton, Va., is in the city.

—Farmers are about done cutting grass.

—Edwin Booth is reported dying from the effects of smoking.

—Call to see us when you come to the Institute next week.

—W. T. Bliven, Esq., of Mill Point called to see us today.

—A Randolph county firm is raising polecats for their pelts.

—Drummers are quite plentiful now.

—Mr. Price McComb, of this place has been sick for some time with rheumatism.

—Mr. J. H. Patterson Clk Cir. Ct., has returned from a few weeks visit to his home near Green Bank.

—Attorney L. M. McClintic returned last Saturday from a fishing expedition on William's river.

—The Farmers Alliance is hand in hand with the democrats in Ohio.

—Charleston voted \$80,000 towards building a Railroad from that place to Sutton.

—Messrs. Uriah Bird and Mott Wallace, of Mill Point were in town Tuesday.

—Mr. D. J. Cochran, of Locust called to see us today.

—The St. Lawrence Lumber Camp two miles below this place has started up.

—Mr. B. M. Lockridge, of Ranea Vista, Va., is spending a few weeks at his farm on Knapp's creek.

—There was a basket meeting at Buckeye last Sunday by Rev. Otto McKeever, of West Minister, Md.

—Attorney H. S. Rucker and family have returned from a six weeks visit to his parents at Lewisburg.

—Staunton, Va., will decide by its vote on the 22nd inst. whether the town will go dry or continue damp.

—B. F. McElwee passed through town last Saturday on his way home to Dunmore, from a trip to Ronceverte.

—Mr. Carlisle McKeever had the misfortune to get his leg broken at Mr. D. O'Connell's camp on Spice Run one day last week.

—Died, Mrs. Della Underwood, wife of Howard Underwood, Esq., at her home on Beaver Creek, of paralysis, aged about 25 years.

—Capt. R. A. Smith, of Dunmore had the misfortune to lose the fine iron grey stallion, with colic, he bought of G. W. Siple some time ago.

—Mess. G. W. Callison and J. C. Kennison of Locust, called to see us last Thursday. They brought Sabina J. Kertner, inmate to this place and placed her in jail to await removal to the Asylum.

—Remember the Farmers Alliance meets at this place Saturday. It is desired that all members be present, as there is important business to transact.

—Rev. W. T. Price, of Marlinton, contributed to the State Historical society at Charleston a paper containing an account of the heroic services of Jacob Warwick, of Bath Co., Va., in the battle of Point Pleasant in 1774.

—One of the largest coal mines in this country is at Elk Garden W. Va., which has lately been opened. It has a capacity of 2,000 tons a day. A number of small veins are under the one just put in operation. The entire length of the main heading is at present 5,320 feet. It requires three shifts of men to do the work every twenty-four hours to keep the mine in running order. No horses of any consequence are used, as two 40 horse power engines are used instead of horses, mules, etc.—H.

## Transfers of Real Estate.

The following is a list of deeds entered to record for the month of June:

A deed from Wm. J. Sponaugh and wife to O. P., W. L. and G. L. Chew, for land, on east branch of Greenbrier River.

Thos. W. Hogsett and wife to J. B. Bradshaw for land near Traveler's Repose.

Salina Kertner to Robt. Burns trustee, for 35 1/2 acres of land near Locust.

M. R. Malcomb and husband to Jno. T. McGraw, for land on Greenbrier river.

Hannah A. Waugh and husband to Levi Gay and Jacob Marshall for land on Greenbrier river.

Henry McNeel, to J. T. Hogsett for land in the Little Levels.

J. T. Hogsett and wife to H. M. Lockridge for land near Huntersville.

Wm. Skeen and wife to G. M. Whitescarver for land near Huntersville.

C. W. Callison to J. L. Rumbarger for Lumber Co., for land on Greenbrier river.

Peter Beverage to his son Jno. A. for land upon which the said Peter Beverage now resides.

A. J. Moore and wife to Wm. H. Collins for land on Back Alleghany.

J. H. Morris to J. W. Morris for land on Droop mountain.

C. P. Jones to C. T. Shewmaker for land near Frost.

Rachel L. McClure and husband to J. C. McClure for land on Briar Knob.

R. F. Adkinson to Hannah Cloon for land on Swago creek.

C. W. Beard and wife to E. L. Beard and others, trustees for one acre of land in Little Levels.

M. C. Wooddell to B. C. Hill trustee for land in the Little Levels.

G. C. Clark and wife to W. W. Beard for one acre of land near Hillsboro.

Aaron Rydey and wife to Wilson Ryder for land near Frost.

Wm. S. Grimes and wife to R. S. Turk for land on Thorney creek.

Allen G. Barner and wife to McCurdy Hunter and others for her dower interest in certain lands on Alleghany mountain.

M. M. Burkett and wife and A. Burkett to R. S. Turk for land on Buffalo mountain.

Randolph Myers and wife to J. G. Myers for land on Big Spring branch of Elk.

J. W. Warwick to C. P. Dorr for land on Clover Lick and Greenbrier river.

J. F. Slaughter to A. C. Rucker for land on East side of Greenbrier river.

C. C. Rucker and wife to S. B. Moore and Wm. A. Rucker for land on west prong of Greenbrier river.

J. F. Moore and wife to A. S. Buzzard for land near Frost.

S. Harper and wife to Jno. T. Dixon for white pine timber in a certain tract of land on Alleghany mountain.

R. S. Turk, com'r to Uriah Bird for land on Thorney creek.

W. T. Gilkeson and wife to H. B. Hanger for land near Traveler's Repose.

## The Historical Society.

Rev. W. T. Price, of Pocahontas county has sent the State Historical society 15 copies of the Young Virginian, a monthly magazine published at Mt. Clinton, Va., in 1874, and 8 copies of The Faithful Word, also published at Mt. Clinton, together with the report of the Lexington historical committee of the Presbyterian church for the year 1844. It is a valuable contribution to the literature of Scotch-Irish Presbyterianism in Virginia. Numerous visitors from a distance have been in the society's rooms to day, all of whom expressed surprise at the collection and promised to lend the society all the assistance possible.—Charleston Post.

## WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our regular correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 31st.—"Help me Cassius, or I sink" was the substance of a communication from Mr. McKinley, of Ohio, to the National Executive committee of the republican party, which met here this week. The story, as it is told here, is that Mr. McKinley sent a very urgent appeal to the committee for a large sum of money to be used in the Ohio campaign and that he sent along with a very broad intimation that unless it was forthcoming the jig was up with both himself and the legislature in that State. He is also said to have suggested that the committee might easily raise the money by putting the screws on the manufacturers specially benefited by his tariff bill. And that was not the only appeal for money presented to the committee. Mr. Clarkson told his colleagues that unless a good sized barrel of cash was rolled into Iowa that State would take its place permanently in the democratic column, and Secretary Fassett presented bills for a considerable amount left unpaid from last years disastrous campaign. But these were minor things and excited but little interest compared with the resignation of Quay, not only as chairman of the two committees, but as a member of the National committee; and the resignation of Dudley as Treasurer of both committees. There was a good deal of pretended regret at being compelled to accept these resignations, and high flying resolutions were adopted referring to both of them, which will probably be regarded by the retired officials as "vindictions".

Mr. Harrison tried to stem the Blaine tide which controls the republican committee by appointing one of its members—J. Sloat Fassett, of New York—to be Collector of the port of New York in place of Erhardt whose resignation has been accepted. Harmony of the monkey and parrot kind is prevalent in the Treasury department just now. At least three of Secretary Foster's most subordinates would hail with pleasure the news that he had resigned, and they would resign themselves if it wasn't for the fact of their having to give up their salaries if they did. The subordinates mentioned are Assistant Secretary Cronse, Treasury Nebeker and Immigration Commissioner Owens, all of whom are recent arrivals at the Government trough. The trouble with the first two is that Mr. Foster, with the warning of the Rann case fresh in his mind, refused to allow them to appoint their sons to be their private secretaries, and Mr. Owens is disgruntled because his opinion that Welch tin-plate workers could be brought to the United States under contract without violating the alien contract law has been repudiated by the Secretary who has written another letter to the party who made the enquiry stating that the department was not prepared at this time to answer hypothetical questions such as the one propounded. It is said that Mr. Foster also took occasion to give Mr. Owens a very sharp lecture on the duties of subordinate officials.

Mr. Wanamaker has led a delegation of Alabamians, headed by Senators Morgan and Pugh to believe that he would favorably consider their request to make Mobile one of the ports from which a subsidized line of steamships will run to South America.

With a great flourish of trumpets the announcement is made that a reciprocity by treaty has been negotiated with the mighty republic of San Domingo which will go into effect September 1.

Members of the administration have already begun to discuss the ways and means of raising the money that it will be absolutely

necessary to have in the near future to meet pension payments under the present laws. Some sort of a new tax has got to be imposed, and the most of them seem inclined to put it upon whiskey by raising the revenue from 90 cents per gallon to something between \$1.20 and \$1.50 per gallon. However, all that the administration can do is to make suggestions; the democratic House of Representatives will determine what shall be done.

Senator Sherman's friends are trying hard to make it appear that they look lightly upon the opposition of the Farmer's Alliance to his re-election, but in reality they regard it as such a serious matter that unless they can succeed in patching up some sort of a reconciliation before long one of them said that Sherman would be compelled to withdraw in order to save himself the ignomy of defeat.

Had Mr. Harrison been able to circulate ineognitia among the prominent republican politicians who were here this week consequent upon the meeting of the National Executive committee he would certainly have arrived at the conclusion that he was no longer "in it", as far as a nomination is concerned. It was unquestionably a Blaine week in Washington, and if the National committee can bring it about Blaine is to be nominated, and one of their number—Col. Conger, of Ohio—is authority for the statement that he will accept the nomination if it is tendered him.

## INSTITUTE NOTICE.

The Teachers Institute for Pocahontas County will convene in Huntersville, August 10th, at 10 o'clock a. m.

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The contractor must file a separate bid for school house and desks, and an aggregate bid for both. He must also file with said bid, bond with good security to double the amount of his bid. The board estimates itself to pay \$1500 on completion of the work the residue, if any, in one year from that date. It also reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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## IT WAS A SURE SIGN.

A very learned professor of astronomy—one who was skilled in the signs of the skies and the winds and the clouds—was once traveling. While on his journey he lost his way, and wandering about, came across a simple looking countryman, who was sitting under a tree tending a flock of sheep.

"Friend," said the professor, "can you inform me of the direction and distance to the nearest adjacent town?"

Now the countryman perceived that the professor was very wise, from the long words that he used; but he presently managed to understand him and replied:

"Yes, sir, it is all of five miles; but," he added "you will get a good setting before you will get there."

This surprised the professor. He could not discover any signs of a storm, and he was so sure of his own knowledge in such matters that he laughed at the countryman and started his horse on the road pointed out to him.

But before he had gone two thirds of the distance a sudden black cloud covered the sky, the rain poured in torrents, and the wise man reached the inn soaked and disgusted.

The next morning, before he had proceeded on his journey, he determined to ride back and if possible find out by what hidden signs—of which he a great professor was ignorant—this foolish countryman had foretold the storm.

So he rode back, and after spending a day in the search, found the countryman and explained what he wanted to know.

"I will not tell you my sign," said the countryman, "without a good sum of money."

The professor struck a bargain. The professor was so anxious to hear this valuable secret that he willingly paid the large amount demanded.

"Do you see, sir," asked the countryman, "that black sheep with a white face over there—the only black sheep in my flock?"

The professor said he did.

"Well, sir," said the countryman, "when it is the fairest day in June, and when there is not a cloud in the sky, I surely know it is going to rain if I chance to see that old sheep cower around with her tail held straight up in the air!"

"There's no flies on me," said the fly paper. "I wish I could say the same," answered the latter.

Mamma—"Don't you know what because of people who tell lies Ma-bell?"

Mabel—"Yes, m'm, they go to hell, and I know where hell is. It's in papa's library."

Mamma—"Why, daughter, how can you say such a thing?"

Mabel—"Well I went into there the other day and saw your teacher was sitting in papa's lap."

Mamma—"What? (moved)—"

## Earned Wealth.

Rockefeller is worth \$125,000,000 and Jay Gould \$100,000,000. Now, let's see how much the sons of our great millionaires will be worth in, say, fifty years. George Gould will, in all probability, get the bulk of his father's wealth. Say Jay Gould don't die for five years more. He will then be worth fully \$150,000,000 if his fortune rolls up as rapidly as it is doing now. If George Gould can manage to control and increase his father's millions, I have figured out that in forty years he will be worth a billion of dollars. John D. Rockefeller's heir, if his \$127,000,000 goes to him in a lump, will be worth nearly two billion dollars in fifty years. The Rockefeller millions have accumulated very rapidly. Most of the great fortunes have rolled up in one generation, but the Rockefeller fortune has been made in less time. Allowing for an increase as rapid as in the past, and large rates of interest, I am pretty sure that the two billion dollars estimate will be correct. Well, William Waldorf Astor now has a fortune of \$125,000,000. He will get at least seven per cent. on the estate, and will in all probability, live for twenty-five years more. Now, the son, John Jacob Astor, will then be about forty five years old. Making computations at the rate of seven per cent. and compounding the interest semi-annually to allow for reinvestment the Astor millions in twenty-five years would roll up to \$698,012,500. Then in twenty-five years John Jacob Astor could become a billionaire and have a few millions to spare. The chances are that nearly all the great fortunes will be augmented every year far beyond their natural increase. Investments by these men of millions are constantly being made that earn one hundred per cent. a year, and there are some no doubt that different percentages all the way up to five hundred or even one thousand.—N. Y. Telegram.

## HE SMELLED FIRE.

The bobtailed blue car on Hoboken was prancing along at a gait not less than two miles an hour, when a long bodied man most of whom was hidden under a straw hat of the style of ten years ago, and who had a hoe handle standing up in the corner, suddenly sniffed the air to the right and left, and called out:

"Somebody's house along here is on fire!"

The seven or eight of her passengers pricked up their ears and looked around, but no one saw any signs of fire.

"Something's a burnin', and I know it," continued he a moment later.

Everybody exhibited increased interest, and several heads were thrust out of the windows. One passenger finally observed:

"I guess everything is all right."

"Well I don't!" replied the owner of the hoe handle as he stood up. "I smell rags a-burnin', and don't you forget it! My nose never goes back on me when rags begin to smoke! H! there—its around you!"

The person addressed was a sly, fish-looking young man, and there was a streak of blue smoke curling up behind him. He jumped up and grabbed his coat-tails, and willing hands helped him rub out the fire in the cloth, which had come from pipe or cigar.

"Didn't I tell ye?" said the long-bodied man as he looked around the car. "I can smell burnin' rags half a mile off!"

The victim was working for the rear door, and two young ladies were "tittering," but before he could get out the fire-smeller hit him again with:

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the kitchen stove! Young man you!"

But the young man wasn't there.

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"My daughter, did John propose last night?" "No mother but I thought I detected an engagement ring in his voice as he bade me good night."

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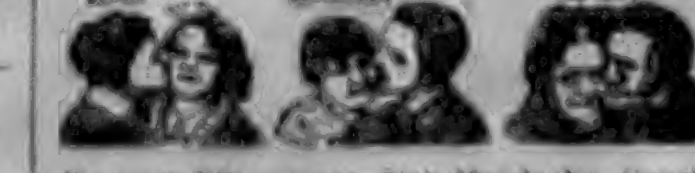
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AN EDGED TOOL.

"Miss Morel wanted immediate ly in the show rooms!"  
Shrill and sharp and clear the message came through the speaking tube into the great room where all of Mrs. Cavendish's young women were at work—the great, bare-floored echoing room, which was lighted only from a skylight of frosted glass from above. Valencia Morel rose at once her pale, olive cheeks suddenly suffused with scarlet, to obey the summons. She felt sure she was to be scolded for alighting the pipings on the skirt of old Mrs. Mickel's blue satin dress. But Mrs. Cavendish sitting at her desk, received her gracefully.

"Miss Morel," said she, "on second thoughts, you may trim Miss Vorassan's moire antique with lace instead of velvet. Miss Gay, the forewoman, will give the necessary instructions." After a moment she added: "My dear, you know that I seldom interfere in the private and personal affairs of my young women. But I am informed that you are escorted home every night by a gentleman who must certainly be above your station. Miss Morel, I am not your guardian, neither do I possess any authority over you. But I do know something of the world and bid you beware!"

Valencia Morel was quite silent. If Mrs. Cavendish had for an instant supposed that her favorite "trimmer" was going to confide in her, she was mistaken. Half an hour later, when the girls all awarried out of Mrs. Cavendish's work room at the sound of the 6 o'clock bell, Valencia Morel contrived to be a little behind the rest, so that it was quite dark when she reached the corner of the street, and a quick, silent shadow, with the fiery end of a cigar burning in front of it, moved up to her side quite as a matter of course.

"Valencia!" softly spoke the phantom.  
"Yes, it is I," said Valencia Morel, coquettishly pulling the blue veil a little further over her face. "And Mrs. Cavendish has somehow found out that you walk home with me evenings."

"Well what then?" demanded the owner of the fire-tipped cigar in a debonair and defiant sort of a way. "Is it a capital crime?"

"No, I suppose not," said Valencia, dubiously. "But Hector—"  
"Well?"

"I do wish I knew what the end of all this was to be."

Captain Hector Maurice lifted his primrose kidded hands deprecatingly.

"So like a woman," said he. "Bless their dear little hearts, they never can be contented to let me go alone."

"No but Hector—"  
"Well, if you must know," said the gallant Captain, "we are going to have a little party."

money, or it is all up with me. And you must know that we could not go on philandering like this forever."

Valencia looked at him with eyes that shone dangerously.

"Hector Maurice," said she, "you have been playing with me all this time. Beware that I do not turn out an edged tool."

"My darling, only listen to me. He took both her hands by main force and renewed his caressing protestations while he walked along at her side: Presently she turned with a short, harsh laugh.

"Don't mind me, Hector," said she; "I was a little out of temper. It came so suddenly, you know. And perhaps I was unreasonable. But I'm all over it now. Tell me about her—the bride."

Hector made a grimace.  
"Excuse me," said he; "I shall have quite enough of her in the future without rhapsodizing on the subject now."

"Is she pretty?"

"Was Medusa pretty?"

"Is she rich?"

"If she wasn't do you suppose I'd marry her?"

"To the young?"

"Well, she's about the age of my mother."

"Oh, Hector! And what is her name?"

"Anora, my dear. Fair goddess of the dawn."

"But her last name, I mean," urged Valencia.

"That I shall not tell you," half in earnest. "Let, to use your own words, you should turn out to be an edged tool."

Valencia made him no answer; she only compressed her lips until they were a mere scarlet thread. And when she came back to Mrs. Cavendish's work room the next day she was a little paler than usual.

"I don't understand it said Mrs. Cavendish, one day.

"Don't understand what?" asked Miss Gay, the forewoman.

"That Miss Morel is so feverishly anxious to attend personally to all the wedding orders. I used to send mademoiselle Florine, but Miss Morel has asked it as a favor, to be allowed to go; and she really has an excellent idea of style and trimmings, and gives great satisfaction. But what her fancy is I can't tell."

"Some girls have an absolute mania on the subject of weddings," said Miss Gay, elevating her brow. But Valencia Morel's motive was deeper far than any of which Mrs. Cavendish and her forewoman could dream. And one day her quest met with its reward. Mrs. Dorrance was a widow, fat, fair and 40; and Mrs. Dorrance contemplated a second marriage.

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"Oh, dear me!" said Mrs. Dorrance; "that is dreadful."

But she was evidently interested, and sat with the samples of white reps and dove colored satin in her hand, looking at Miss Morel.

"And plain, too," added Valencia; "he calls her his Medusa."

"Hatoful old thing," said Mrs. Dorrance, briskly. "What business has she to be angling for a husband at her time of life?"

"But she's rich."

"That accounts for it," said Mrs. Dorrance.

"Oh, yes that accounts for it," said Miss Morel.

"You—you never heard him mention her name, did you?" said Mrs. Dorrance a little uneasily.

"Oh, dear, no, ma'am," said Valencia. Did you say you would prefer the stoue gray faille, or—"

"I don't know why I should feel and curiosity upon the subject," interrupted the widow, laughing artistically; "but if your friend's name isn't a secret—"

"Oh, no secret at all," said Valencia.

"Would you be kind enough to tell me?"

"Yes, indeed, his name is Hector Maurice!"

"Good gracious," said the widow, dropping all her samples in a gliding shower.

"You don't mean to say you know him, ma'am?" said Miss Valencia Morel in well feigned astonishment.

"Know him?" said Mrs. Dorrance, fanning herself violently. "It's the very man that I'm engaged to! But I won't marry him, no that I never will!"

Valencia clasped her hands theatrically.

"Oh!" cried she, "what have I said! Please, please, dear madam, forget my foolish chatter. If I had known—"

"If I had known!" interrupted the widow. "Medusa, indeed! Old enough to be his mother, forsooth. But he shall never have the hand ling of my money."

And Mrs. Dorrance rang the bell for her maid, and went off into violent hysterics. No wedding outfit was made up for this occasion at Mrs. Cavendish's celebrated establishment—and Captain Maurice was at his wife's side to know why his plighted bride had changed her mind so suddenly. He did entertain some vague idea of a "breach of promise" suit, but wisely abandoned it. But strange to say he never suspected Valencia Morel, who still walks on pale and silent, in the dreary rooms, and never sees him now.

Captain Maurice had played with edged tools, and he had not come off scabrateless.

"Papa," said a West End boy, as he followed his father to the bathroom.

"Well, my son?"

"Do you wash your eyes out every morning?"

"Why, certainly."

"Well, papa?"

"Yes."

"How do you get 'em to agree?"

"Oh, go 'way; go 'way and don't bother me."

"All right, papa."

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Alliance News.

Late Matters of Interest Pertaining to the Order.

THE PRESENT.

Rise up Thomas Jefferson, from the dead. Face the people whose fathers supported you, and for whose welfare the best days of your life were spent.

Ninety per cent. of the homes of the farmers of this country are under mortgage. Ninety per cent. of the laboring men are without homes, and never will be able to earn them, as their wages are so fixed as to always keep them homeless. The exponents of the democracy you founded say it is paternalism to protect them, and that all the remedies they provide for relief are unconstitutional. Is that so? The farm products of the country, by a combination of capitalists and speculators each year, are bought at cost of production from the producer and sold to the consumer at 100 per cent. advance. The exponents of the Democratic party you led, say that there is no constitutional remedy that can be provided. What do you say? England owns nearly all the manufactories in this country and controls the financial system of the government in her interest and against Americans; and, by virtue of that power, has established a system that will inevitably reduce the great mass of people to serfdom. The leaders of the party now called Jeffersonian democracy are the tools of these English people and doing all in their power to assist them in the consummation of this purpose. What say you about these things? When the people clamor for relief and demand pledges of those who would represent them, these self-same exponents of the democracy you founded, declare that to take off 20 per cent. of the tariff on pocket knives, and put ten per cent. more on crockery will afford a remedy, and that let silver miners coin all the products of their mines into new silver dollars will remedy all the trouble and correct all the evils which have already bankrupted and placing them beyond redemption. What do you say about it? The great statesman would open his eyes in amazement and with the fire of indignation and exasperation flashing from them, would say: These so-called are not of the party I founded. They are false in heart, false in utterance, and false in purpose. They are untrue to my teachings; false to my precepts and perfidious to the proud example I left them. The great masses should arise in their majesty and power and drive this gang of impostors and hars from the temple I assisted in erecting for the safety and protection of the people; for they profane the name I love so dear; they prostitute the purpose I labored so earnestly to consummate; they have made my temple the resort of liars, thieves and thieves and I am ashamed of it. Oh, grave receive me, and let my oblivion forever remain undisturbed, until I can see my people and my country redeemed from vandals and desecrated from the name of the party and the teachings of false and perfidious leaders.

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## WHAT FRED SAW.

The day was very pleasant but I could not enjoy it.

Long, weary months I had been in the darkened room, and still they kept me there, allowing no breath of the pure, cool air to reach my feverish head.

I tried to open the window, but I was not strong enough, and I fell back in my chair, breathing the stifling air, which every moment became more oppressive.

I thought I could not endure it, yet how could I avoid it? There was only one way without danger of discovery, a step into the hall, and those spiral stairs would take me to the house top—to the observatory.

Waiting until I was sure the way was clear, I stepped softly into the hall, and, ascending the stairs, through much difficulty, I was soon enjoying the forbidden pleasure of breathing the free air, untainted with the fumes of the nauseous drugs that had been dealt out to me with an unsparring hand all through the long, cold winter.

How exhilarating! I wondered that I had been hoisted so long. I looked down upon the group of young ladies who were sporting on the lawn.

Jennie Magrair was there, the daughter of my host, the only woman I ever loved, but I was nothing to her. She knew not how I worshipped her, and I should keep my secret well, for she was the betrothed of Gerald Macburn.

How I envied him and perhaps hated him a little, for I knew that he had not won her love. She had pledged her hand to save her old father from poverty.

She had consented to the sacrifice and Macburn was satisfied.

Turning away I tried to banish the painful, hopeless thoughts that had been awakened.

Adjusting the telescope I took a survey of the farming and woodland that stretched far away to the east for many miles.

I caught sight of two men whom I recognized as Gerald Macburn and John Layton.

They were evidently in search of game. The glass was small, yet a very superior instrument, and I could see them very plainly, notwithstanding the distance.

I was once I should have thought no more about them had I not known that but a few months before they were bitter enemies. I wondered how the reconciliation had been effected.

When passing my brain with these thoughts I had unconsciously raised the glass to keep them with me. I saw them stop, and I knew by their motions that they were talking.

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I saw the poor fellow fall out of sight in the bushes, and I saw Macburn calmly reload his rifle and walk toward the spot where his victim was lying.

Then I staggered and fell to the floor, and all was blank.

When I awoke to consciousness I was in bed. Clothes were all about my head, and in the dim lamplight I saw a watcher sitting beside my bedside. It was my old chum, Harry Wilnot.

"How is this?" said I; when I realized the situation.

"Thank God, you are coming around again," said Harry; "but it has been a hard case, Fred; you have been crazy as a 'loon' for a whole week. I advise you not to try the observatory again till you are strong enough to crawl back."

At these words, what I had seen from the honsetop flashed upon my mind and for the life of me I could not then have told that it was not a dream. To convince myself I inquired for John Layton.

"He is—no one knows where," replied Harry; "but you are too weak to either talk or listen."

"No, I'm not, Harry; tell me about it."

He yet hesitated, but I urged him, and he yielded.

"John Layton disappeared a week ago," said he. Absconded is the better word, for he took with him quite an amount of money belonging to his father. The old gentleman is very wroth, and has used every means to find him, but has not succeeded. Fannie Morton—they were to be married soon, you know—is almost crazy about it, and will not believe that John intended to do anything wrong. This is all that is known about it. But, speaking of marriage, did you know that Gerald Macburn and Jenny Magrair are to be married tomorrow?"

"John Layton is dead," said I, without answering his question, though it had sent a pain through my heart that was agony to me.

"He is dear, Harry Wilnot."

"Harry gazed at me pityingly.

"There, Fred. I wouldn't talk any more," said he. You are very weak yet. Try and sleep."

"You think I am still crazy, Harry?"

"Don't, Fred, don't! If you expect to get off this sick bed you must be more reasonable."

My question was answered. I turned my face to the wall and tried to determine in my own mind whether I was sane or not.

I went to sleep thinking of it, and when I woke the sun had gone down.

Harry, who had been out during my sleep, had just returned, and his entrance had probably waked me.

"How do you feel now, Fred?" said he, drawing a chair to the bed side.

"Much better and stronger, Harry. I have had a most refreshing sleep."

We talked a while, and then I abruptly asked him if he would grant me a favor on the morrow.

"Certainly, Fred, if it isn't asking too much."

"I feel quite easy, though none of my strength has returned yet."

"It will come back in a day or two," he replied. "The wedding comes on tomorrow."

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what it is."

I did not tell him what I had seen from the honsetop, for I did not consider myself competent to make an accusation against any one; but I described the spot where I firmly believed that I saw Gerald Macburn murder John Layton; and I requested him to take three or more companions with him—men that could be trusted—and explore the spot thoroughly.

"Will you promise, Harry? Now, don't say you will, and then forget it, thinking I do not know what I am talking about, for I tell you I am not insane now."

"Well, Fred, I promise."

I knew that Fred could be depended upon, and I felt much relieved, passing a very quiet night.

Gerald Macburn was to be married at 9 o'clock, and at 10 to start on their wedding tour.

This was why I was in such haste. If he was guilty as I firmly believed I wished to prevent the marriage, or at least to arrest him before he stepped aboard the train.

I hardly know how I passed the time till Harry's return, I was so impatient.

I heard the carriages of the guests drive up to the door, and I could faintly hear the busy hum of preparation below; and then the old town clock, striking the hour of 3, startled me.

Only one hour longer, and Harry had not returned. What if he had missed the spot?

I watched the hands of the little clock, and for once they went too fast. I could almost see them move. Twenty—twenty-five—thirty minutes past 8, and would he never come! Yes, thank God! I heard the gallop of a horse on the gravelled road, and in a moment Harry entered the room flushed with excitement.

"What did you find, Harry? Quick! Quick!"

"The body of John Layton!"

"I knew it, Harry! I saw the deed—I saw the murderer. But there is no time to lose. The wretch must be secured before it is too late. Bring a magistrate and an officer as quick as you can."

He was not long away, and he brought with him the old doctor, who was also a justice, while an officer entered by the back door and abruptly made his way to my room, unobserved.

I made my deposition, the warrant was issued and handed to the officer, and he went softly down the stairs to make the arrest.

He was not a moment too soon, nor too late, and he laid his hand on Gerald Macburn's shoulder just in time to prevent Jenny Magrair from becoming the wife of a murderer.

"Macburn was tried, convicted and executed."

My testimony was sufficient, for the power of the telescope was tested, proving beyond doubt that I had been an eye witness to the murder, though miles away from the spot.

Jenny quickly recovered from the shock, and I then my intention, and she was married.

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## TRAGEDY ON THE GREAT RIVER.

## A THRILLING EPISODE OF TRAVEL ON THE MISSISSIPPI.

Moonlight on the raging Mississippi!

The magnificent sidewheel steamer Lone Pelican, bound for New Orleans, sped swiftly down the Father of Waters, whose turbid waves, as if angry at the intrusion, lashed the crumpling shores with a fierceness that changed the geography of the country at every swash.

The great steamboat, with its precious cargo of human lives, mess pork, hides, furniture and agricultural implements, was full of life and gaiety. High rose the spirit of the passengers. The supper tables had been cleared away, but the faint odors that still pervaded the long and elegant saloon of the Lone Pelican there lingered grateful reminiscences of the sumptuous banquet.

Myriads of cut glass pendants reflected the light from the chandeliers and twinkled and danced merrily to the music of the paddle wheels that churned the water in obedience to the impulse of the great engines, whose ceaseless throb proclaimed the mighty steamer a thing of life, and the white and gilded interior, that stretched away in gorgeous perspective, reflected the twinkling lights and mirrored as well the happy faces of the throng that lingered within, while along the wide promenade outside and on the hurricane deck overhead wandered the sentimental and the moonstruck.

Far in the distance astern trailed a dense, black cloud of smoke from the tall smokestacks. Far ahead pierced the vision of the keen-eyed pilot, whose trained judgment, memory and skill guided the floating palace through the wide waste of waters.

Silence reigned in the Lone Pelican. Naught but the monotonous chug-chug of the engines and the tremulous beating of the paddle-wheels disturbed the reposeful stillness that brooded over all.

Suddenly arose a wild, unearthly, appalling clamor. Fierce, angry, demonic yells and execrations roused from their slumbers the hundreds of sleeping passengers on board. Crash followed crash.—Sounds as of heavy falling bodies were heard in quick succession, and the din grew louder and louder.

Frankie men, women and children half clad came out of their state-rooms, and with pallid lips and trembling voices tried to learn from each other what had happened.

Had the boat been boarded by river pirates?

Had she struck a snag?

Was the steamer on fire?

The captain had not yet retired.—With drawn revolver he approached the state room from where the terrible uproar seemed to come.

He listened a moment, then burst open the door and disappeared on the deck.

There was a momentary lull—then voices were heard in fierce exclamation, the din broke loose again, with renewed violence, and the captain, with his foot standing on a deck, was starting from their decks and he too plunged into the water.

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## Pocahontas Times.

JOHN E. CAMPBELL,  
EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

Huntersville, W. Va.  
September 10, 1891.

The "Statement out of a job" all have their eyes longingly cast upon the War portfolio.

Harrison and Maine must greatly enjoy the pastime of playing whist with the republican Presidential nomination.

In selecting a new Secretary of War Mr. Harrison should try to get a man, without large private business interests which requires his constant attention.

Henry Clews the New York broker has a \$40,000 bath room. Many of those who contributed the money to pay for this luxury are doubtless obliged for want of a better or more expensive place, to take their baths in nature's bath room.

If there is ever any occasion for making a genealogical tree for "reciprocity", the searchers will get stuck at the start, as there are already several men who claim to be the father of the hantling.

Senator Plumb is attempting the impossibility in trying to ride the republican horse and the Alliance ally at the same time. It would be difficult enough even if they were going the same way, but they are traveling in directly opposite directions and no man can keep a foot on both of them at once.

If it is true, as charged by the New York Times, that politics controls the assignment of Naval officers, then indeed is Secretary Tracy shutting off the spigot and leaving the bung hole open in all the alleged placing of the master mechanics in the navy yards under the merit system. The top is the proper place to begin reforms.

Mr. Harrison informs the people at every opportunity that he favors a dollar worth a hundred cents everywhere but he doesn't say anything about the silver dollar issued by his administration, which lacks considerable of being a hundred-cent dollar everywhere, or indeed anywhere. Honestly, like clarity, should always begin at home.

It is said that Secretary Proctor has not spent one third of his time at the War department since he entered the Cabinet, and that the business of the war department has been almost entirely directed by the subordinates, one of the exceptions being when the Indian trouble of last fall was on, and then Mr. Harrison took personal control.

Republican newspapers are showing more interest in the election of the Speaker of the House, and as their party has considerable less than one-third of the members of the House it is clear that the suddenly developed interest bodes no good to the democratic party. It is a no feasible fact that the newspapers which are the most industriously engaged in stirring up strife, or in trying to do so, among the friends of the several candidates, are in every case run by men who are either republicans, or in sympathy with that party. This of itself should be sufficient to prevent any unseemly fighting among democrats for or against any candidate. Every democratic Representative should call to mind the saying of a bygone statesman: "In politics is always good to find out what your opponents wish you to do, in order that you may avoid doing it." It is clear that the republicans wish to see the democrats quarreling the Speaker ship of a republic, and that it is the democratic duty of every democratic Representative to do all in his power to prevent the republicans from doing this.

### COUNTY SEAT REMOVAL.

The suggestion of the removal of the county seat from this place to Marlinton, is being agitated, and petitions to that effect are being circulated to get the required number of signatures, asking the County Court to submit it to a vote of the people, which election, we suppose, will take place about January 1st '92.

Col. Jno. T. McGraw, Capt. Geo. W. Whitecarver and others of Grafton, and Capt. J. W. Marshall of Randolph county, who own Marlinton, and are having it laid off into town lots, are the principal agitators.

Their proposition is, that when the election is submitted, to deposit with the sheriff \$5,000 in cash and a deed for 2 1/2 acres of land for public buildings &c., to be given to the County if the required three-fifths vote carries, which is of course a valuable consideration, if the county wants the court-house removed.

It is not our place, we think, in publishing a newspaper in the county and for the county, to make suggestions as to what is its best interests in regard to this matter, but to give the facts, honestly, plain and simple as they stand. Therefore, at present, we will take an independent stand-point, only reporting matters of interest as they occur. These gentlemen who are agitating this movement, as they tell us, will only use fair and honorable means to accomplish their end, and we think we can say, so far as we know, that the opposition will meet them in the same way.

First, it is the voters of the county to say, whether or not the county can stand a tax, that will probably exceed \$25,000.

Second, whether or not it will be more convenient to the people of the county.

Third, will it enhance the worth of your property, with this tax upon it.

And fourth, is it to the best interest of the county that this movement is agitated, or is it to enhance the value of property owned by a few individuals.

We would like to hear this question discussed by both sides, and we therefore throw our columns open alike to both.

A Philadelphia man is responsible for the statement that men in Boston are putting an imitation coffee, made of clay and flour, on the market, which is sold for six cents a pound and is mixed with genuine coffee at a ratio of about one pound to four. A man caught engaged in such business should be fed on bread and his fraudulent product for the rest of his life.

### HOW'S THIS!

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for and case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

### CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Chronic Complaints, after having tested the wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his fellow-sufferers. He is now, by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, will send free of charge to all who desire it, this remedy, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using, sent by mail by addressing a statement, enclosing the paper, to A. J. Cheney & Co., Proprietors, 219 N. 3rd St., New York.

There is a growing suspicion that some of the members of the New York Grant monument committee have got places on the World's Fair building committee.

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### ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

At rules held in the the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, on the first Monday in September, 1891.

T. J. Williams

vs.

H. B. Hanger.

The object of this suit is to attach the estate of the defendant H. B. Hanger and subject the same to the payment of a debt due from said Hanger to the plaintiff T. J. Williams on an open account for \$92.41, with interest thereon from the 28th day of August, 1891, and it appearing by affidavit, filed, that the defendant H. B. Hanger is a non-resident of the State of West Virginia, It is ordered that he do appear here within one month after the first publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

Witness, J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the said Court this 7th day of September, 1891.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

L. M. McClintic, p. q. Sept. 10 4-1

Printer's fee \$7.65

### ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

At rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County on the first Monday in September 1891.

Jacob Taylor

vs.

Margaret M. Carpenter and Charles Carpenter.

IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to assign Margaret M. Carpenter her dower in the lands of which her husband Hugh Carpenter, dec'd, seized and to partition the said lands among those entitled thereto, and it appearing by affidavit filed that the defendant Charles Carpenter is a non-resident of the State of West Virginia. It is ordered that he do appear here within one month after the first publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Witness, J. H. Patterson, Clerk of said Court this 7th day of September, 1891.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

Moore & McNeil, p. q. Sept. 10 4-1

Printer's fee \$7.95

### ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of West Virginia,  
Pocahontas County, to-wit:  
At rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County on the first Monday in September, 1891.

State of West Virginia

vs.

Paul McNeil's Heirs.

IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to sell for the benefit of the School fund 611 acres of land forfeited in the name of Paul McNeil's Heirs, lying on Spruce Run, in this county, and it appearing by affidavit filed that Elias L. Penick, John A. McNeil, Donald McNeil, Julia McNeil, Geo. McNeil, Russell McNeil, Lydia McNeil and Mrs. Kate McNeil are non-residents of the State of West Virginia. It is ordered that they do appear here within one month after the first publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Witness, J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the said Court this 7th day of September, 1891.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

R. B. Turk, Attorney for Com'r of School Lands. Sept. 10 4-1

Printer's fee \$8.75

### COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

Wm. W. Sutton, Ex'or

vs.

Henry Sheets & others.

IN CHANCERY.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the above styled suit, now pending in the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, that on the 12th day of September, 1891, at my office in the town of Huntersville, West Virginia, the undersigned Commissioner of said Court will proceed, pursuant to a decree entered in this cause on the 9th day of April last, to take, state and report the following matters of account, viz:

1st. An account showing the amount due the plaintiff from the defendants, and to whom payable.

2nd. Any other matter deemed pertinent by the Commissioner, or required to be specially stated by any party in interest.

L. M. McClintic, Com'r

Aug. 30 4-1

Printer's fee \$7.40

### ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

At rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County on the first Monday in September, 1891.

R. P. O. Shafer, Plaintiff

vs.

H. B. Rucker, Lizzie C. Rucker, Uriah Hovener and Isaac P. Dean, Defendants.

IN CHANCERY.

The defendants having appeared and suggested that the plaintiff is not a resident of this State and that security is required of the said plaintiff according to law for the payment of the costs and

damages which may be awarded to the defendants in this suit and the fees due or to become due in this suit to the officers of this Court and the defendant H. B. Rucker having filed an affidavit that the plaintiff R. P. O. Shafer is not a resident of this State and requiring publication of this order. It is ordered that he do appear here within one month after the first publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Witness, J. H. Patterson, Clerk of said Court this 7th day of September, 1891.

J. H. PATTERSON Clerk

Sept. 10 4-1

Printer's fee \$8.16

## New Goods, New Goods!

Lourey & Doyle's,  
Huntersville, W. Va.

We have just received a nice line of Fall and Winter Goods, which we sell very low, and we desire our customers and the public generally to call and examine them.

We have a nice line of

Mens', Womens' and Childrens' Shoes at all prices.

Mens' heavy weight Over Shirts, Under Shirts and Drawers.

Mens' Hats and Caps, Duck Leggings, Lumbermens' large Woolen Socks.

Following, we will give a few prices:

Calicoes 5 to 7 1/2 cents, Ladies Dress Goods, latest styles 6 cents up.

Cotton checked Shirting 8 to 10 cents, Five quarter table oil cloth 25 c.

We have a large lot of pants and overalls, Ladies Shawls,

Yellow and Bleached Cottons, Fine Umbrellas,

Towels, Ladies Corsets &c., &c.

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## HOME NEWS

—Jas. McNeil Esq., of Academy was in Huntersville Monday.

—Attorney C. F. Moore, has returned to Clinton Forge.

—Mr. Jno. J. Board attended the fair at Lewisburg last week.

—Mr. Henry Grose, of this place is in Covington, Va., this week on business.

—Messrs. Louny & Doyle have just received a fine line of fall and winter goods.

—Wm. Gladwell, Esq. and wife, of Green Bank, were in town Tuesday, on their way home from attending the fair at Lewisburg.

—Mr. J. C. Louny, Sr., is going to lay off a part of his farm into town lots soon. He has already had several applications for lots.

—Jacob Bauer, Esq., merchant at this place is now in Baltimore buying his stock of fall and winter goods.

—Rev. J. A. Lautenschlager preached a very interesting sermon in the Presbyterian church at this place last Sunday.

—The funeral sermon of the late J. B. Backley, Sr., was preached in the Methodist church at this place by Rev. J. G. Michal, last Sunday.

—Mrs. Sabina Kertner a lunatic of near Academy confined in the jail at this place, died this morning.

—Messrs. Thomas Hogsett, of Mill Point, and son Chas. of Boone, Va., were in Huntersville last Friday.

—I have for sale at my house on North Fork of Anthony's creek about 150 head of fine sheep, ewes, weathers and lambs.

W. H. BUZZARD.

—Several parties from near this place attended the auction sale of Mr. A. M. McGlaughlin, at Marlinton, Monday and say there was a big crowd in attendance and things went moderately cheap.

—Miss Anna Mary Patterson, of this place, started Monday, for Winchester, Va., where she will attend school the coming season. She was accompanied by her sister Miss Maggie, who will return shortly.

—Mrs. A. N. Dameron, who has been visiting her parents at this place a few weeks, started for her home at Alleghany Station Va., this morning, accompanied by her brother, Mr. J. C. Louny, Jr.

—The Greenbrier Industrial Exposition held between Lewisburg and Ronceverte last week, far exceeded the expectations of the promoters, and persons from this community say it was a success in every particular. The Independent says that Mr. A. C. L. Gatewood, of Split Rock, this county had a fine Holstein bull there which was a beauty.

—Mr. J. G. Michal, has left the the Huntersville Circuit and gone to his home in Maryland, because he could not get a house to suit him. This leaves the Huntersville circuit, M. E. Church South without a preacher, all because of not having a parsonage. This speaks badly for this community, and steps should be taken at once to build one.

—We have received a pamphlet entitled "Information and Advice relating to Patents" from C. A. Snow & Co., well known patent attorneys of Washington D. C. It contains directions for procuring patents and the cost of the same in the United States and foreign countries, information about the registration of trademarks, copyrights, inventions and designs, also abstracts of court decisions in patent cases, and much other matter of interest to inventors, patentees, manufacturers, and others.

—J. B. Bradshaw and wife to Wallace G. and J. A. Bunker for land near Traverser's Repose.

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—Go to Louny & Doyle's for nice fresh new goods.

### DENTAL NOTICE.

Dr. J. H. Weymouth will be at Edray on the 5th of Oct., and remain 1 day; Mill Point Oct. 10th, 3 days; Little Levels, (Frank Harpers) Oct. 14th 4 days; Huntersville, Oct. 20th 4 days; Frost, Oct. 26th, 3 days; and will be prepared to attend to all operations in Dentistry. Teeth extracted with but little pain, by use of Cocaine.

Sept. 10-31

### Examination Notice

I will hold my last examination for this year at Edray, Sept. 29th, and 30th, beginning at 8 a. m. Applicants must present a certificate of attendance of some Institute, or have a lawful excuse.

Examination conducted under the old law.

M. G. MATHEWS, Co. Supt.

### Hillsboro Chips.

Several people from here attended the Fair at Lewisburg last week, all report a nice time.

Miss Lena Kennison left for her school Saturday morning.

Our popular merchant Wm. H. Overholt is making alterations and improvements in his store.

J. P. Sydnestricker, W. S. and C. M. Anderson left for Hampden Sydney College this morning.

Allen & Co's. Show which showed at this place last week was enjoyed by old and young.

The Hillsboro Training School and F. & W. Academy opened with prospects for good schools. We wish them both much success.

Miss Bella Clark is visiting relatives and friends in Monroe Co.

Mrs. — Creig of Ronceverte is visiting her brother Capt. A. M. Edgar.

PHILLIS.

### Green Bank Items.

Mr. J. S. Wooddell of Jackson Co. has been visiting relatives and friends here for several weeks.

Mr. J. H. Bilston started to Highland Friday morning accompanied by his father, who had been visiting him for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Lockridge, of Highland are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lightner and Mrs. Wallace, all of Highland Co., are visiting at Mr. Geo. W. Siple's.

Mr. David Ciesk and daughter and Miss Emma McClintic of Bath Co., are spending a few days at Mrs. Jno Warwick's.

Mr. G. R. Curry, while attending conference at Danmore, called on his friends in and near Green Bank.

CONSTANCE.

### List of Deeds.

The following is a list of deeds for July:

From A. M. Kee and wife and Samuel Kee to W. L. Kee for land near Marlinton.

W. L. Kee to Sarah M. Apperson for land near Marlinton.

Jonah Dilley and wife to Jno. T. McGraw for land on Thorey Creek.

C. L. Austin to J. B. Bradshaw for land near Green Bank.

Daniel B. Friel and wife, of Missouri to Lillie M. Friel for their interest in lands of the estate of Daniel Friel, dec'd.

Benjamin R. Doyle and wife to Wm. Deverege for land on the head waters of Beaver Dam.

Dr. Spencer M. Free and wife to T. B. Williams, all of Pennsylvania, for land in Green Bank district.

Hester E. Poage and her husband to J. M. Apperson for their interests in the estate of J. B. Kee dec'd.

Bugh Adams and wife to the heirs of J. M. Adams dec'd for land on Dry Fork of Elk.

H. A. Holt and wife and A. E. Mathews and wife all of Greenbrier Co., to the Greenbrier Lumber Co., for

J. B. Bradshaw and wife to Wallace G. and J. A. Bunker for land near Traverser's Repose.

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in the cause first named, provided the same shall not exceed the value of the property and interest that they received from the estate of their said mother.

7. An account showing what sums of money were improperly paid to Mrs. J. E. M. Turk, from funds arising from the sales of the lands aforesaid, showing the name of the purchaser, and the money was used to make improper payments to the said Mrs. J. E. M. Turk, and giving the amounts used from each purchaser's money, together with the debts thereof.

8. An account of all the purchase money paid by the several purchasers of land sold under a former decree in the first above mentioned case, giving the amounts paid by each purchaser, with the debts of their respective payments, and the person to whom they made their said payments respectively.

9. An account showing the persons to whom the purchase money arising from the sale of lands sold under a former decree in the first above case, was paid, showing the amounts paid to each person with dates of all payments respectively, calculating interest to date in all cases.

10. An account of any other matters deemed pertinent by himself or required by any of the parties in interest to be stated.

C. F. MOORE, Commissioner.

Sept. 10-41

### COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

Augusta National Bank

Tardy, Urquhart and Tardy.

IN CHANCERY.

Notice hereby given to all persons interested in the above styled suit, now pending in the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County that on the 11th day of September, 1891 at my office in the town of Huntersville, West Virginia, the undersigned Commissioner of said Court acting under a decree rendered in said suit on the 17th day of June, 1891, will proceed to take and state for report to Court the following matters of account.

1st. A further statement of liens against the lands of the defendants in bill and proceedings mentioned.

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3rd. Any other matter deemed pertinent by the Commissioner or required to be specially stated by any party interested.

L. M. MCCLINTIC, Com'r.

Aug. 20-41

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Notice hereby given to all persons interested in the above styled suit, now pending in the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County that on the 11th day of September, 1891 at my office in the town of Huntersville, West Virginia, the undersigned Commissioner of said Court acting under a decree rendered in said suit on the 17th day of June, 1891, will proceed to take and state for report to Court the following matters of account.

1st. A further statement of liens against the lands of the defendants in bill and proceedings mentioned.

2nd. A restatement of the former account in this suit.

3rd. Any other matter deemed pertinent by the Commissioner or required to be specially stated by any party interested.

L. M. MCCLINTIC, Com'r.

Aug. 20-41

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remain one week; Huntersville, 21st and remain three days; Frost, 27th and remain three days.

**ORDER OF PUBLICATION.**

State of West Virginia,  
Pocahontas County, to-wit:  
A rules held in the Clerk's office of  
the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County,  
on the first Monday in September,  
1891:

Henry Gross  
vs.  
S. P. Patterson et al.  
IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to have a  
partition of about 49 acres of land, sit-  
uate in Pocahontas County, West Vir-  
ginia, near Huntersville, or if said land  
is not susceptible of partition, to sell  
the same and divide the proceeds  
among those entitled thereto according  
to their respective rights and interests,  
and it appearing by affidavit filed, that  
Newton Campbell, Leonidas Campbell,  
Bella Wade, Anson Wade, Thomas  
Hickman, Peter Hickman, Jennie Ham-  
ilton, Emma Bulger, Mattilda Hepler  
and Laura Hickman are non-residents  
of the State of West Virginia. It is or-  
dered that they they do appear here  
within one month after the first pub-  
lication of this order and do what is  
necessary to protect their interest in  
this suit.

Witness, J. H. Patterson, Clerk of  
the said Court this 7th day of Septem-  
ber, 1891,

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

L. M. McClintic, p. q.  
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**TO R. P. G. SHAFER, Esq.**

Take notice, that on Saturday, Octo-  
ber 8rd, 1891 between the hours of 6  
o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m. at the  
office of Dr. Sam'l B. Scott, in the town  
of Reusens, Campbell Co. Virginia, we  
will proceed to take the depositions of  
Sam'l B. Scott, Jr., and others: and,  
on Friday, October 9th, 1891, between  
the hours of 6 o'clock a. m. and 6  
o'clock p. m. at the office of H. S. Ruck-  
er, in the town of Huntersville, County  
of Pocahontas, State of West Virginia,  
we will proceed to take the depositions  
of Amos Barlow and others, and on  
Saturday, October 10th, 1891, at her  
residence in the town of Huntersville,  
in said County of Pocahontas, we will  
proceed to take the depositions of Liz-  
zie C. Rucker and others all of which  
said depositions, when taken, we will  
offer as evidence in our behalf in a cer-  
tain suit in chancery now pending in  
the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County  
West Virginia, in which you are plain-  
tiff and ourselves and Isaac F. Dean are  
defendants.

If from any cause the taking of any  
of said depositions shall not be begun  
or completed on the days aforesaid, the  
taking of the same will be continued  
from day to day, and from time to  
time at the same places and between  
the same hours, until the several sets  
of depositions shall be begun and com-  
pleted.

Respectfully,  
H. S. RUCKER,  
LIZZIE C. RUCKER,  
URIAH HEVENER,  
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# Pocahontas Times.

JOHN E. CAMPBELL,

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Entered at the Post-office at Huntersville, W. Va., as second class matter.

Huntersville, W. Va.

September 24, 1891.

The favorite game in Romania is freezing out kings. Kings, especially if there be three or four of them are difficult to freeze out in this country.

Italy has once more declined to take any official part in the World's Fair. This time in a letter to a committee of Americanized Italians which has tried its persuasive powers in a resolution of invitation to the Italian government asking that it co-operate with the committee in seeing that Italy was properly represented at the Fair.

Although the recent New York republican convention was controlled by Boss Platt it did not entirely neglect ex Senator Miller, Platt's one time rival, as it put a plank in its platform endorsing his Nicaragua canal scheme although it is a difficult matter to understand the connection between the Nicaragua canal scheme and New York politics.

Fred. Douglas having lost his of fice, and seeing no chance to get another one, announces his withdrawal from politics just as his white brothers have done under similar circumstances. Who says the negro is not advancing.

This administration believes in shunting for civil service reform while it winks at the open violation of the law in behalf of its friends by Federal officials.

The Russian bear seems to be engaged in tuning up his appetite preparatory to devouring Turkey, with or without the consent of the rest of Europe. Upon several occasions in the past when the conditions were much as they are now the British lion has stepped between the bear and his proposed victim just in time. Will he do so again? Is now the question of questions with those deeply interested in European affairs.

Willie Waldorf Astor, of New York, who since his failure to buy a seat in the House of Representatives has spent the greater part of his time regretting that he was born in America, and not in some country where his immense wealth would enable him to purchase a place in the ranks of the nobility, has, in an effort to remedy that defect, renounced America as a residence and gone to Europe to live. America can stand it if Europe can.

W. H. Tascott the alleged Chicago warder has been found again. This time he was a tramp in South Carolina and was arrested upon information furnished by another tramp who claimed to be a detective. The two tramps will probably be well fed until the Chicago officers have visited them and pronounced them frauds, then the matter will quiet down until another Tascott is found. There is an average of about three months time between the findings, and no section of the country has been spared.

The circulation of the Times during the summer season being about over the subscription for the year returned to Washington to continue the paper to be sold at the subscription price and the subscription of Mr. J. H. Patterson, of Huntersville, for a second year. They are all at Washington except Mr. Patterson and his family, and Mr. Patterson is looking for the best opportunity of a pleasant journey in the enjoyment of the paper, and the subscription of the Times. Mr. Patterson is looking for the best opportunity of a pleasant journey in the enjoyment of the paper, and the subscription of the Times.

A CORRESPONDENT writes to me from Pocahontas county says: "Old Pocahontas has begun to come to the front. There are now being laid off a big town at Marlinton, the junction of the C. & O. and the Pittsburg and West Virginia railroads. The lots are being laid off by Capt. Oscar A. Veazy, civil engineer, assisted by two other competent engineers. The lots are now on the market. There will be a bank under headway soon, known as the bank of Pocahontas. A proposition is before the voters to move the Court house from Huntersville to Marlinton. Our old Court house has been condemned, and as we will have to build a new one, let us accept Col. John T. McGraw's proposition, which is \$5,000 in money and two and a half acres of ground for a site, provided the Court house be moved to Marlinton."—Greenbrier Independent.

We would judge from the above article that the Independent's correspondent has never been in Pocahontas county nor does he know anything about it whatever. He says Marlinton is the junction of the C. & O. and W. Va. & Pittsburg railroads. We are extremely sorry that when he says this he is quite largely mistaken. Not a mile of either of the roads he mentions nor any other railroad, except a few tram roads for lumber purposes, has ever been built in the county. Our nearest point to any railroad station is about 30 miles. Marlinton is the proposed junction of the two roads, when they are built, which we hope will not be far off, but we are also sorry to say that railroad corporations are very, very, very privileged, only building their roads, when it suits them and when it suits them.

Also he says the Court-house at this place has been condemned and that we will have to have a new one. We are pleased to correct the said correspondent here. It has never been condemned, and that we have a better Court-house than several of the larger counties of our own State and as good, as we know of in counties of 35,000 inhabitants, and an assessed valuation of property six or more times greater than our County.

We are always pleased to see newspaper articles of a complimentary character of our county but never anything that is calculated to mislead any one.

A CITIZEN.

## New Goods.

I tell you John, every body says they are selling goods cheap, but I tell you that JACOB BOKER, at Huntersville, will sell you Goods that will surprise you, and before he will let you go out of the store without selling you, he will sell at your own price.

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Examination Notice  
I will hold my 1st examination for this year at Edray, Sept. 29th, and 30th, beginning at 8 a. m. Applicants must present a certificate of attendance of some Institute, or have a lawful excuse.

Examination conducted under the old law.

M. G. MATHEWS, Co. Supt.

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## ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

At rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County on the first Monday in September 1891.

Jacob Taylor

Margaret M. Carpenter and Charles Carpenter.

### IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to assign Margaret M. Carpenter her dower in the lands of which her husband Hugh Carpenter, dec'd, seized and to partition the said lands among those entitled thereto, and it appearing by affidavit filed that the defendant Charles Carpenter is a non-resident of the State of West Virginia. It is ordered that he do appear here within one month after the first publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Witness, J. H. Patterson, Clerk of said Court this 7th day of September, 1891.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.  
Moore & McNeil, p. q.  
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## TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me by Sabina Kertner, on the 28th day of May, 1891, and recorded in Deed Book No. 22, page 42, I will offer for sale on the

20TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1891,

at public auction in front of the Court house in the town of Huntersville, Pocahontas County, West Virginia, a certain tract of land, containing 35 1/2 acres, lying on top of Droop Mountain, and adjoining the land of Geo. Callison and others.

The title to said land is thought to be perfect, but I will make such deed only as is vested in me as trustee.

### TERMS OF SALE.

Cash sufficient to pay expenses of sale, and a bond of Thirty-Eight Dollars, (\$38.00) with interest from 20th day of May, 1891. The residue in two equal payments, due in 6 and 12 months from day of sale, with interest from date. The purchaser to give bonds with good personal security, and no deed will be made until all the purchase money is paid.

H. K. BURNS, Trustee.  
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## ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of West Virginia,  
Pocahontas County, to-wit:  
At rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County on the first Monday in September, 1891.

State of West Virginia

Paul McNeil's Heirs,

### IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to sell for the benefit of the said Paul McNeil's Heirs, lying on Spruce Run in this county, and it appearing by affidavit filed that Eliza J. Zwick, John A. McNeil, Donald M. McNeil, John McNeil, Geo. McNeil, Russell M. McNeil, Lydia McNeil and Mrs. Kate McNeil are non-residents of the State of West Virginia. It is ordered that they do appear here within one month after the first publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Witness, J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the said Court this 7th day of September, 1891.

## ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

At rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County on the first Monday in September, 1891.

R. P. G. Shafer, ..... Plaintiff

vs.

H. S. Rucker, Lizzie C. Rucker,  
Uriah Hevener and Isaac P.  
Bean..... Defendants.

### IN CHANCERY.

The defendants having appeared and suggested that the plaintiff is not a resident of this State and that security is required of the said plaintiff according to law for the payment of the costs and

damages which may be awarded to the defendants in this suit and the fees due or to become due in this suit to the officers of this Court and the defendant H. S. Rucker having filed an affidavit that the plaintiff R. P. G. Shafer is not a resident of this State and requiring publication of this order. It is ordered that he do appear here within one month after the first publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Witness, J. H. Patterson, Clerk of said Court this 7th day of September, 1891.

J. H. PATTERSON Clerk.

Sept. 10 4t.

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## HOME NEWS

—Equinox Monday

—Advertising crowded out several communications this week.

—People generally, are cutting corn and preparing for seedling.

—Jacob Rorer, merchant at this place has received a nice line of fall and winter goods which he sells very low. Head his ad. in this issue.

—Dr. Mathew Edmonston and wife, of Weston, came from there to this place Tuesday and started this morning, (Wednesday) for the asylum at that place with Miss Willie Miller, lunatic.

—Mr. Page Gay and bride, who were married at Edray last Wednesday, took dinner in Huntersville the following Thursday on their way, as we understand, to visit friends in Highland Co., Va.

—Mr. M. W. Beard, of Pickaway, Monroe Co., was in the city one day last week. Mitchell informed us that he had been, not long since, presented by his wife with the finest boy in W. Va.

—Mr. A. H. Coulter and wife, of Spice Run, were in town last Thursday. Mr. Coulter informed us that the day before, he killed a rattlesnake 4 feet and 1 inch in length and over 3 inches in diameter.

—Messrs. Henry Barlow, of Edray; Amos Barlow and Rice Moore, of this city bought of Mr. H. M. Lockridge, his farm and entire lands on Knapp's creek, about four miles from this place, last Saturday. The price paid, we understand, was \$12,000, the entire amount virtually cash.

—Mr. Mathew Edmonston, of Washington State, is in our city visiting friends and relatives. He is formerly of the Little Levels, in this county, and has been away about 12 years. Mrs. Wm. Beard, of near Academy, accompanied him to this city also on a visit to relatives.

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—In this issue will be found an advertisement of Messrs Jos. L. Barth & Co., Clothiers, Staunton, Va. We have had personal dealings with these gentlemen and it gives us pleasure to recommend them to our readers as gentlemen in every sense of the word, and if those who may need anything in their line, will favor them with an order or call and see them when in Staunton, we are sure they will be entirely satisfied with their goods and above all their prices.

—Died—George I. Foutz

Filed at the residence of Mr. H. M. Lockridge, Sept. 16th, 1891, Mr. George Inghen Foutz, in the 23rd year of his age. Deceased was a son of Henry T. Foutz, formerly of Huntersville, Augusta County, where he was born, Oct. 2nd, 1867. The writer was personally acquainted with Mr. Foutz from early childhood to the present time and knew him as a boy to be perfectly honest and upright, moral and mostly in all of his dealings with others, of unexceptionable character as to veracity, positive in his convictions, yet always kind and generous to all.

to Advocate

The deceased spent his boy-hood and early manhood in this community. About a year since he left for the then prosperous town of Roanoke Vista, Va., where, by his morality, industry and method, he gave fair promise of becoming one of the most prominent business men of the community. George was with us but a few short weeks ago, full of life and vigor; but on his return was soon cut down by the reaper death. He has left a community of sorrowing friends who lament his loss. Peace to his ashes.

### DENTAL NOTICE.

Dr. J. H. Weymouth will be at Edray on the 5th of Oct., and remain 4 days; Mill Point Oct. 10th, 3 days; Little Levels, (Frank Harpers) Oct. 14th 4 days; Huntersville, Oct. 20th 4 days; Frost, Oct. 26th 3 days; Greenbank, Oct. 30, 3 days; and will be prepared to attend to all operations in Dentistry. Teeth extracted with but little pain, by use of Cocaine. Sept. 10-31

TOR P. G. SHAFER, Esq.

Take notice, that on Saturday, October 3rd, 1891 between the hours of 6 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m. at the office of Dr. Sam'l B. Scott, in the town of Reussens, Campbell Co. Virginia, we will proceed to take the depositions of Sam'l B. Scott, Jr., and others; and, on Friday, October 9th, 1891, between the hours of 6 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m. at the office of H. S. Rucker, in the town of Huntersville, County of Pocahontas, State of West Virginia, we will proceed to take the depositions of Amos Barlow and others, and on Saturday, October 10th, 1891, at her residence in the town of Huntersville, in said County of Pocahontas, we will proceed to take the depositions of Lizzie C. Rucker and others all of which said depositions, when taken, we will offer as evidence in our behalf in a certain suit in chancery now pending in the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County West Virginia, in which you are plaintiff and ourselves and Isaac R. Dean are defendants.

If from any cause the taking of any of said depositions shall not be begun or completed on the days aforesaid, the taking of the same will be continued from day to day, and from time to time at the same places and between the same hours, until the several sets of depositions shall be begun and completed.

Respectfully,

H. S. RUCKER,  
LIZZIE C. RUCKER,  
URIAH HEYENER,

H. S. Rucker, sol. By Counsel  
Sept. 10 4t. Printer's fee \$10.08

### Notice of Sale.

Of Valuable Land in Pocahontas County, W. Va.

Pursuant to a decree entered in the chancery cause of Paul McNeel's Executors vs. Samuel Auldridge and others on the 4th day of April, 1888 and the 6th day of April, 1891, by the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, the undersigned Special Commissioner will sell, publicly to the highest bidder in front of the Court house door of the said County on the 27th DAY OF OCTOBER, 1891,

the following lands of the defendant Samuel Auldridge, viz: 235 acres of land lying in the said County of Pocahontas near Mill Point, in what is known as Buckeye mountain and believed to adjoin the lands of Isaac McNeel and others, this tract will be sold separately also two tracts one 17 and one of 90 acres lying near or adjoining the last mentioned tract, these two tracts will be sold together, also a tract of 135 acres, a tract of 100 acres, 83 acres, 6 acres and 787 acres on the east side of Greenbrier river in said County near the mouth of Staunton creek, also a tract of about 45 acres of land lying in said County on the west side of Greenbrier river near the mouth of Staunton creek. It is believed that these last tracts lie near to or adjoining each other and constitute the home place of Samuel Auldridge on which he now resides and that there are valuable improvements on said lands and much of it is valuable for farming purposes. Also a tract of 4 1/2 acres of land lying on the mountain near Swags Knob adjoining the lands of Wm. L. McNeel, Henry Barlow and others, said tract is fertile and well timbered.

And there is now being a survey of the lands of the said Samuel Auldridge and others.

### TERMS

### DENTAL NOTICE.

O. J. Campbell, dentist, will be at Academy on the 16th inst. and remain one week; Huntersville, 23rd and remain three days; Frost, 27th and remain three days.

### ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of West Virginia  
Pocahontas County, to-wit:  
At rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, on the first Monday in September, 1891.

Henry Grose

S. P. Patterson, et als.  
IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to have a partition of about 40 acres of land, situate in Pocahontas County, West Virginia, near Huntersville, or if said land is not susceptible of partition, to sell the same and divide the proceeds among those entitled thereto according to their respective rights and interests, and it appearing by affidavit filed, that Newton Campbell, Leonidas Campbell, Della Wade, Anson Wade, Thomas Hickman, Peter Hickman, Jennie Hickman, Emma Balger, Matilda Hooper and Laura Hickman are non-residents of the State of West Virginia. It is ordered that they they do appear here within one month after the first publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Witness, J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the said Court this 5th day of September, 1891.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

L. M. McClintic, p. q.  
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### COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

At a Circuit Court continued and held for the County of Pocahontas, at the Court house thereof on the 17th day of June, 1891.

F. H. Hull, Adm'r

vs.  
F. H. Hull's heirs  
and  
Dudley et als.

vs.  
Hull et als.

IN CHANCERY.

Huntersville, w. Va., Sept. 9, 1891.  
Notice is hereby given that I will at the Court house of Pocahontas County, West Virginia on the

6TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1891, proceed to take, state and report the following account, and will continue the same from day to day until completed.

And it is further ordered and decreed that this cause be referred to C. F. Moore who is appointed Special Commissioner for that purpose, with instructions, that after being first duly sworn, according to law, he shall take, state and report the following matters of accounts to-wit:

1. An account of all the liens upon the lands of which the late F. H. Hull dec'd, seized and possessed, separating general liens, from specific liens, and showing in the bases of specific liens the particular tracts to which said liens relate, and to whom due.

2. An account of all debts due from the estate of the decedent, and not barred by the statute of limitations.

3. An account bringing down to date the accounts of rents and improvements so as to show the present condition of said account, charging against the heirs of F. H. Hull, deceased, all sums of money paid to their mother, Mrs. E. M. Turk on her dower by virtue of any decree of Court.

4. An account of the actings and doings of Samuel L. Gibson, late Sheriff of Pocahontas County, and as such Administrator of F. H. Hull, deceased, and also of J. C. Arbogast, Sheriff of Pocahontas County, and as such Adm'r de bonis non of F. H. Hull, dec'd.

5. An account showing what estate was left by said Mrs. E. M. Turk, deceased, that did not pass into the hands of her Administrator, together with the character and value thereof, showing what portions thereof, if any, passed into the hands of her children, the heirs at law of F. H. Hull, deceased, charging against the said heirs, such sums as their mother received improperly from the money of the several purchasers of lands sold under decree in the cause first named, provided the sum so charged against said heirs at law for money improperly paid to their mother as aforesaid shall not exceed the value of the property and money that they received from the estate of their said mother.

7. An account showing what sums of money were improperly paid to Mrs. E. M. Turk, from funds arising from the sales of the lands as aforesaid, showing the name of the purchaser whose money was used to make improper payments to the said Mrs. E. M. Turk, and against the amounts used from each such purchaser's money, together with the names of the said purchasers.

8. A list of all the purchases made by the several purchasers of lands sold under decree in the cause first named, showing the name of each purchaser and the amount of their respective purchases, and the names of the vendors of the said lands.

9. An account showing the persons to whom the purchase money arising from the sale of land is sold under a former decree in the first cause case, and the names of the persons to whom the same was paid, and the amounts paid.

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At rules held in the the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, on the first Monday in September, 1891.

T. J. Williams

vs.

H. B. Hanger,

The object of this suit is to attach the property of the defendant H. B. Hanger and object the same to the payment of the debt from said Hanger to the plaintiff T. J. Williams, who is a creditor of said Hanger, and who is a resident of the State of West Virginia.

It is ordered that the said Hanger do appear within one month after the first publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

J. H. Patterson, Clerk.







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sent up a few balloons from

you go out buggy riding with Dick  
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HOME NEWS

M. P. Rockman, Esq., of Mill Point, called to see us to day.

We understand that about 3000

—Messrs. Isaac McNeel, of Mill Point and Wm. Gibson, of Elk were in our city Tuesday.

—W. Va. taken care of its

—James Homer, requests us to say that his store will be closed

—Margaret Williamson, Esq., of

—Harry Viner, of this place start

—Miss Gertrude Overholt, of

—Attorney C. F. Moore, and wife

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## JESUS LOVER OF MY SOUL

This hymn is acknowledged to be the most generally accepted and beloved of all Christian hymns. It is said in the year 1740, Charles Wesley was sitting at his desk in his room when a little bird perched by a hawk flew into the room and took refuge in his bosom. The poet took up his pen and wrote the immortal verses.

Henry Ward Beecher, when speaking of his father's love for this hymn, once said: "I would rather have written that hymn of Wesley's, 'Jesus lover of my soul,' than to have the fame of all the kings that ever ruled on the earth. It is more glorious. It has more power in it. I would rather be the author of that hymn than hold the wealth of the richest man in New York. He is dead, and does not know it. He will pass after a little while out of men's thoughts. What will there be to say of him? What will he have done that will stop trouble or encourage hope? His money will go to his heirs, and they will divide it. And they will die and it will go to their heirs. In three or four more generations everything comes to the ground again for redistribution. But that hymn will go on singing until the last trump brings forth from every land the children of God, and then it will mount up on some lip to the very presence of God."

One beautiful evening, in the summer of 1881, a party of Northern tourists formed a part of a large company gathered on the deck of an excursion steamer, lay down the historic Potomac. A gentleman who has since gained a national reputation as a singing evangelist, had been delighting the party with his happy rendering of familiar hymns. The last he sang that position he devoted to every Christian heart, "Jesus lover of my soul." The singer gave the first two verses with such feeling and emphasis as thrilled every heart. A hush had fallen upon the listeners, which was not broken till a gentleman made his way from the outskirts of the crowd to the side of the singer and said:

"Beg your pardon, stranger, but were you actively engaged in the late war?"

"Yes, sir," the man of song answered, "I fought under General Grant."

"I did my fighting on the other side," continued the first speaker, "and am quite sure I was very near you one bright night eighteen years ago."

"If I am not mistaken," the singer replied, "you were on the other side of the river, and I was on this side."

"That is true," the first speaker said, "but I am not sure I was not on the same side as you were."

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which I went forth to my duty. I knew my post was one of great danger, and I was more dejected than I remember to have been at any other time during the service. I paced my lonely beat, thinking of home and friends, and all that life holds dear. Then the thought of God's care for all He had created came to me with peculiar force. If He so cares for the sparrow, how much more for man, created in His own image; and I sang the prayer of my heart, and ceased to feel alone. How the prayer was answered I never knew until this evening. My Heavenly Father thought best to keep the knowledge from me for eighteen years. How much of His goodness to us we shall be ignorant of, until revealed by the light of eternity! "Jesus lover of my soul" has been a favorite hymn—now it will be inexpressably dear."

This incident is a true one, and was told to the writer by a lady who was one of the party on the steamer.

## DUEL TO DEATH.

William Weston, a ranchman living twenty miles north of here, brings a story of a most horrible duel, which was fought with knives by two Indians near his ranch. There had been bad blood between the two men for some time, which had started over a horse race.

The Indians were named Sewapi and Nunechi. They had been restrained from fighting several times by their friends, but on meeting at another horse race last week the quarrel was renewed, and it was finally arranged by the shaman and the matter was decided with knives. A large crowd of Indian and half breeds were present and a ring was formed. Each man had his second, who was armed with a Winchester rifle ready to shoot down any one who might be tempted to interfere.

The contestants were stripped to the waist and each was armed with two sharp knives, the blades being about eight inches long. When the men entered the ring it was the understanding that it was a duel to the death. Both were magnificent specimens of manhood and they were equally adept in the use of the knife.

Amid breathless silence the combatants slowly approached the center of the ring. There they stood for a minute glaring at each other, while the silence was most painful. Not a sound could be heard except the occasional stamp of a horse on the outskirts of the crowd.

The contestants sat around per motionless while the duels began slowly to walk around each other, watching for a chance to catch the other off guard. It was about two minutes before a lightning stroke.

One of the men suddenly made a leap toward his enemy, and the other ran to be.

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Sewapi had a terrible cut across his breast, while Nunechi had the muscles of his left forearm almost severed.

The intermission was very short, and both men sprang simultaneously toward each other. The struggle was fierce, and suddenly a trip was given and Sewapi fell on top of his antagonist. The lightning like rapidity of stroke and parry precluded the possibility of knowing who was getting the worst of it, until it was noticed that Nunechi threw up his arms, stiffened out his legs and was dead with a knife in his heart. Sewapi sprang to his feet, gave an ear-splitting yell, and then slowly sank to the ground, with blood gushing from a dozen wounds. Before a friend could reach him he, too, was a corpse.—Tishomingo (I. T.) special to San Francisco Examiner.

## THE FRECKLED-FACED GIRL.

How She Entertained a Visitor While Her "Ma" Was Dressing.

"Ma's upstairs changing her dress," said the freckle-faced little girl tying her doll's bonnet strings and casting her eyes about for a tidy large enough to serve as a shawl for that double-jointed young person.

"Oh, your mother needn't dress up for me," replied the female agent of the missionary society, making a self-satisfied view of herself in the mirror. "Run up and tell her to come down just as she is, in her everyday clothes, and not to stand on ceremony."

"Oh, but she hasn't got on her everyday clothes. Ma was all dressed in her new brown silk dress, because she expected Mrs. Diamond to-day. Mrs. Diamond always comes over here to show off her nice things, and ma don't mean to get left. When ma saw you coming she said: 'The Dickens! and I guess she was mad about something. Ma said if you saw her new dress she'd have to hear all about the poor heathen who don't have silk, and you'd ask her for more money to buy hymn books for 'em. Say, does the nigger ladies use hymn book leaves to do their hair upon to make it frizzy? Ma says she guesses that's all the good the books do 'em, if they ever get any books. I wish my doll was a heathen."

"Why, you wicked little girl, what do you want of a heathen doll?" inquired the missionary lady, making a mental inventory of the new things in the parlor, to get material for a homily on worldly extravagance.

"So folks would send her lots of nice things to wear and feel so sorry to have her going about naked. Then she'd have hair to frizz, and I want a doll with truly hair and eyes that roll up like Deacon Slidell's, when he says amen on Sunday. I ain't a wicked girl, either, 'cause Uncle Dick—you know Uncle Dick—he's been out West and swears awful and smokes all the heathen things I'm a holy terror, and he hopes I'll be an angel pretty soon. Ma'll be down in a minute, so you needn't take your coat off. She said she'd box my ears if I asked you to."

The girl's putting on that old dress she had last seen, when she had she was able to get on her feet, and she needed a good deal of time to get on her feet.

more missionary. Uncle Dick's awful fanny and makes pa and ma die laughing sometimes.

"That's a pretty cloak you've got, ain't it? Do you buy all your good clothes with missionary money? Ma says you do."

Just then the freckled-faced little girl's ma came into the parlor and kissed the missionary lady on the cheek and said she was delighted to see her and they proceeded to have a real sociable chat. The little girl's ma can't understand why a person who professes to be so charitable as the missionary lady does should go right over to Mrs. Dimmond's and say such ill-natured things as did did, and she thinks the missionary a double-faced gossip.

## A MODEL WITNESS

"Now, sir, I hope we shall have no difficulty in getting you to speak up," said the lawyer in a very loud, commanding voice.

"I hope not, sir," shouted the witness at the top of his lungs.

"How dare you to speak to me in that way?" angrily asked the lawyer.

"Because I can't speak no louder, sir," said the hostler.

"Have you been drinking?"

"Yes, sir."

"I should infer so much from your conduct. What have you been drinking?"

"Coffee," hoarsely vociferated the knight of the stable.

"Something stronger than coffee, sir, you've been drinking! Don't look at me like that, sir!" furiously.

"Look at the jury, sir! Did you have something in your coffee, sir?"

"Yes, sir."

"What was it?"

"Sugar."

"This man is no fool my lord—he is worse!" stormed the counsel.

"Now, sir," turning to the witness, "look at me. What beside sugar did you take in your coffee this morning?"

The hostler collected his forces, drew a deep breath and, in a voice that could have been heard half a mile away, bellowed out,

"A spoon! A spoon, an' nothing else!"

## SHE "CAUGHT ON."

A nice young man got into a tram-car a few evenings ago, and saw to his delight the only vacant seat was by the side of a young lady acquaintance.

He made for that seat with joyous strides, and her eyes answer him with delighted looks. But just as he got there an elderly party walked up and dropped into the coveted seat. The young man approached more slowly and accosted the young lady.

"How is your brother?" he asked.

"Is he able to get out?"

"Oh, yes," she answered.

"Will he be badly marked?" he continued, and the old gentleman grew suddenly interested.

"Oh, no," she said, with the exception of a few marks on his forehead."

"Were you not afraid of taking the young man's seat, while the old gentleman broke into a cold sweat?"

"No, sir," she replied, "I had been vaccinated you know."

"And you vaccinated justly," the young man replied, "but as the old gentleman's seat was so comfortable, I thought I would take it."

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October 8, 1891.

## THE QUESTION OF THE RE- MOVAL OF THE COUNTY SEAT SUBMITTED.

Our County Court on yesterday submitted to a vote of the citizens of this County the question of the relocation of the County Seat from this town to Marlinton.

Huntersville, W. Va.

October 8, 1891.

## MODERN GEOGRAPHY.

In Which the Answers are Shaped to Accommodate Present Ideas.

Of what is the surface of the earth composed?

Of former lots, night, poor roads, railroad tracks, base ball grounds, cricket fields and skating rings.

What portion of the globe is water?

About three fourths. Sometimes they add a little gin and nutmeg to it.

What is a town?

A town is a considerable collection of houses and inhabitants, with four or five men who "run the party" and lend money on 15 per cent interest.

What is a city?

A city is an incorporated town, with a mayor, who believes the whole world shakes when he happens to fall flat on a cross walk.

What is a commerce?

Borrowing \$5 for a day or two, and dodging the lender for a year or two.

Name the different races.

Horse race, boat race, bicycle race and racing around to find a man to endorse your note.

Into how many classes is mankind divided?

Six—being enlightened, civilized, half civilized, savage, too utter, not worth a cent and Indian agents.

What nations are called enlightened?

Those which have the most wars and the worst laws and produce the most criminals.

How many motions has the earth?

That's according to how you mix your drinks and which way you go home.

What is the earth's axis?

The lines passing between New York and San Francisco.

What causes day and night?

Day is caused by the night getting tired out. Night is caused by every body taking the street cars and going home to supper.

What is a map?

A map is a drawing to show the way where a snail stood when Jones gave him one under the eye.

What is a marriage?

A jog building four gardens.

AFTER THE ROOM.

"I'll be right back to the land man," said better how the proposition. Capital! But the first thing in the morning.

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the leading citizens of the county and have the means to develop the great resources of our county and of his prosperity and happiness of the people, and in their effort to do so, they should be encouraged, welcomed by us, rather than discouraged and treated with contempt.

In a later issue we will give in full the orders entered in Court so that the people of this County may be fully informed of the question presented to them.

## WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our regular correspondent in Washington, D. C., Oct. 7. When Mr. Harrison determined on doing the "jingo" act, which burned the flag, it had a very bad effect upon the country. "Either you forgive me or I go to work. You shall have five minutes in which to decide."

In four minutes the hasty nobleman had found his mind and in thirty seconds more had made it up.

"You have won," said he. "But little did I dream of the depths of depravity in your nature that you have to day revealed."

## A CHICAGO SOLOMON.

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## CHLOE.

There was a great noise! Shouts—huzzas, shrill, sweet, harsh! The deep bass of young men; the feeble quavering of old ones, the silvery tones of women; the high falsetto of children; all mingling in delight and exultation, and without a shadow of pity for the miserable wretches whose lives were passing slowly out of their mangled bodies through a score of wounds. The late afternoon sun beat down hotly on thousands of heads, save where on one side friendly walls afforded a shelter from its rays. In the great open arena—the sky its only canopy—a haze of dust, with the heavy vapor always attendant upon a vast concourse of people, made the atmosphere so bad to breathe that the multitude gasped with effort between its shouts.

Fans waved in a thousand bejeweled hands, but the artificial current of air thus created was hardly perceptible. It was hot—steamily hot, and anything but a Mexican audience, which had just witnessed the slaughter of one of the fiercest and gamiest bulls that ever put a matador in deadly peril, would long ago have left the building.

"That matador is a brave fellow. How neatly he found the heart with one plunge below the shoulder. He handles his sword like a master, eh, señor?" said a dark visaged, powerfully built Mexican, as he fanned himself with his large sombrero, and looked in the face of a quiet looking, well-dressed man at his side.

"Yes. He is a skillful swordsmen, undoubtedly," was the reply of the well-dressed young man, in unmistakable northern accents.

The well-dressed man, with the northern accent sat through the performance quietly and with the air of one who had nothing particular to do or he would not have been there. Sunday bullfights evidently interested him but slightly. His eyes were turned toward the arena, because from his seat it was easier to look in that direction than in any other, but any one could have seen that his thoughts were far away.

"Edward Payson," he was saying to himself, as a scornful smile passed over his handsome features, "what are you doing here with that letter in your pocket, showing you how foolish you are in putting off your happiness? Because you have been an exile for ten years is it necessary for you to stay away another ten years, when the one girl you ever loved beseeches you to return? If she did tell you then that what you hoped could never be, can you not believe that she was mistaken in her own heart, and that long absence has taught her that she does care for you? What other construction is to be put on the words in her letter?"

Edward Payson drew a letter from his pocket and looked at it earnestly, just as the bull in the morning tossed a horse with one of its long horns, and buried the other in the arm of the unlucky pander on his back. Through all the hubbub of shouting that followed this incident, Edward Payson seemed to witness a scene very different from that spread before him. The letter, with the superscription in a cursive lady-like hand, had awakened a flood of memories that swept everything present away.

He saw a large, well-kept lawn,

a stone mansion, half hidden by the Virginia creeper and ivy which clung lovingly to its rugged walls. He saw the home of a noble Virginia family, with the simplicity of a republic enriched by the lavish taste of a race still authorized by the College of heraldry to display a shield with sixteen quarterings. He saw in the distance the colored laborers working in the fertile fields. He saw the whole picture in a golden frame of still summer weather, and he could almost feel on his cheek the gentle breeze from the Rappahannock as it rolled slowly past on its way to the sea.

The bull had broken away now and was dashing wildly around on the blood-stained sawdust, with its hot eyes fixed on a pander waiting for the attack while the multitude howled with excitement.

But Edward Payson paid no heed. He saw coming out of the front door of the mansion and surveying him with a saucy smile, as she stood on the veranda, a young girl in her teens, with a wealth of chestnut brown hair glistening in the morning sun. Her garden hat was swung carelessly by the ribbons from her hand, and the brown hair, just stirred by the breeze, seemed to ripple in harmony with the impulsive good nature expressed in her sweet face. The clear-cut features, softened by an utterly unselfish disposition, were those of a natural aristocrat—the aristocracy which holds itself above paltry action and supercilious assumption, because it cannot help it.

He saw the girl run laughingly down the steps and accept his invitation for a stroll through the trees and shrubbery beyond the flower beds and lawn, and then—he saw her face as she told him that sisterly regard was all that she could ever feel for him, but that Chloe Payson would never cease to pray for his welfare as long as she lived.

"I was a fool," he muttered impatiently, as the noise accompanying the slaughter of the bull in the arena awoke him from his reverie. "If, instead of weekly despairing and leaving everybody and everything in old Virginia to come here among a strange people, I had staid and faced my fate like a man, who knows?"

He moved out of the great, hot amphitheater with the letter still in his hand. The streets were at their gayest, with all the action and bright color characteristic of a Mexican city on Sunday afternoon. Richly dressed ladies, with the lace mantilla thrown over their dark hair; gentlemen in American cut frock coats and broad sombreros, female beggars and flower sellers, each with the inevitable bayonet fastened to her back by a gay hued ribbon; policemen, workmen, dogs, horses, carriages and the great mass of idle population crowded the main avenue and rendered locomotion necessarily deliberate.

Edward Payson made his way to his room in a quiet street, and for the twentieth time read the letter he had received the day before.

GREENSBORO, Va., June —, 188—

MY DEAR — Why do you not come back? Why do you stay away so long from the old home? It is ten years that you have been away, and I only found out last week where you were. What made you go away so suddenly without saying goodbye to anybody? I ought not to forgive you, but I do. You should have

said. No one knows that I am writing this letter, and perhaps I ought not to do it, but I am longing to see my boy again and I do not care what folks may say. Do not wait to write but come.

CHLOE PAYSON.

A week later Edward Payson stood in the grove of sycamores, oaks and maples, looking at the stone mansion of which he had been thinking so sadly amid the heat, dust and noise of the Mexican amphitheater. It was just such a morning of which he had dreamed. The sun was shining brightly and the low hum of insects mingled with the shiver of the leaves over his head, as if trying to soothe him and quiet the fierce beating of his heart.

"How natural the old house looks. What a little change has been made here in ten years. It looks the same as it did yesterday. I wonder what my uncle will say to me. I wish Chloe had said something about him. We had rather a serious quarrel, I remember, the day before I left him. Perhaps he will tell me to go back again and resume the vagrant life that I know he thinks I have been leading. No, he would hardly say that to the son of his only brother. After his sacred promise to that brother to be as a father to me as long as we both lived.

Besides he was hot-headed, and, no doubt forgave me almost before I was out of the room. Ah, well, I shall soon know, and what do I care so that Chloe has a welcome for me? It was near this spot that she spoke to me so kindly, and yet, oh, so coldly, when she told me that we—cousins—could never be lovers. Ah! There she is surely?

His breath came short as he caught sight of a white dress at one of the open windows under the veranda roof. He could not see the face of the wearer because a tangled mass of creeper hung in the way, but he knew it could be no one else save the girl, as he loved still to think her, whom he had come thousands of miles to see. The white dress moved away, and he walked slowly across the lawn, noticing on every hand familiar objects that brought back his youth in a flood of fragrance.

How weak he felt as he ascended the steps to the veranda. Where was Chloe? Would she come to the door?

He pulled the bell handle and heard the clang that he remembered so well, resounding through the house. He could see it in his mind's eye swinging near the rear of the long hall that ran straight through from the front door to that opening on the yard at the back, where the old cook's cabbages and tomatoes were carefully tended, and where it was as much as one of the kitchen girls' life would have been worth to trespass. He remembered how the old bell had, to his youthful morning mation, possessed ghostly attributes, and how he used to fancy it moved of itself in the dusk at the evening, shaking its head in mockery and threatening to swallow him up into its dusty throat.

Listen! There is a step on the hall. Somebody is coming. The flutter of a white dress caught his eye. Instantly he passed the door wide open and put out his hand to grasp that of Chloe.

"Why, Maria! Ed! Ed! I don't think you'd come back to see poor old Maria," and two dark beads on

"Yes, auntie. I got a letter, and I came right back to the old place. How are you, and how is my uncle, and how is—is?"

His voice faltered, but the old woman did not appear to notice it as she answered:

"Dey is all well, honey. Dere have been few changes round here. Come in and let me give you something to eat. I've got some hot co'n cakes, like yer useter git when yo was a boy. Come along. Yo uncle's done gone away for all day."

"Oh, Auntie. I want you to"—said a child's voice, and a little girl with sunny golden hair came running along the hall just as Ed. Payson used torn some thirty years before. She stopped when she saw him and clung close to the flustered old woman while she looked enquiringly at him.

"Yo know, Ed'ard, I did not know where you had gone, but a colored man what works for Mr. Sherwood, he was here and tol me he heard as yo was in Mexico. And I thought yo'd had a little quarrel with yo uncle, and perhaps yo'd be too prond to come back if he wrote to you and so I got young Miss Mabel, over to Raleigh's place, who is just as good as an angel to colored folks and who writes splendid, to write to you, and"—

"And was the letter from you?" gasped Edward Payson as he looked down at the golden haired little girl while a terrible thought ran through his brain.

"Cose it was honey. Wa'nt it signed 'Chloe Payson and ain't that my name?"

"And—and—who is the little child?"

"That! Why, Miss Chloe's of course. She was married five years ago to young Mr. Willard, who, dey say, will be a judge next year. He is away to day with yo'r uncle. But come up stairs and see Miss Chloe.

What a fool I is to keep yo' here with my chatterin, and you been away from aer ten years."

But Edward Payson, with some excuse—he never knew what—managed to get away from the house and into the sycamore and maple grove, where, with the stones of the old house just visible between the trees, and the fragrance of the syringas hovering like a half forgotten melody around his bowed head, he threw himself on the ground and nerved himself to bear such a heart wringing as fortunately comes to but a portion of poor humanity.

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## AN IDYL UPON CRUTCHES.

It is to be seen often enough in Central park.

He, pale, emaciated, one of those men who carry a ticket for Charon's ferry-boat in his pocket, and is only loitering a little by the way. She, as full of life as the lilacs near which they sit, graceful to the eye in her beauty as they to the sense in their fragrance. He the weakness she the strength, of the partnership. She was upright as a tall lily stem, with health to pay Time full rent through a long life, he stooped painfully over the two sticks that propped up his nerveless body. Those are the crutches. Now for the idyl.

There was a feverishness of life in New York city. North and south had grappled by the throat. War was whipping the tops of commerce until they hummed again. The government cried, "Give! give!" and merchant, manufacturer and artisan toiled and milled. Even man as had a value in the market; flesh and blood was dear.

A youth and a girl met at a church door, and strolled away together. In the course of the service—for it was the Sabbath day—the minister had invoked the divine blessing upon the Federal arms, and made a passionate appeal to the congregation to aid with purse and person to keep intact the grand old flag, that not a single star should be rent from the union, not one stripe from its field. And hearts had throbbed and eyes had swelled over with tears that morning. There were dollars for the wounded and volunteers for the war in that sermon.

"Is it true that you have bought a substitute, Edgar?"

It was the girl who spoke as the pair turned up Lexington avenue.

"Um!" and Edgar nodded his head affirmatively. "A German, who thought his body and bones worth \$1,000."

She looked straight before her, blinking the point of her parasol with her bent tip as she walked.

"The last steamer brought 500 emigrants, Georgia. The price of substitutes will go down for a bit. It is a pity I did not wait a little."

"Yes it is."

She said this quite seriously, and stopped before the door of the house she lived in.

"Well, don't look so serious about it," he added cheerfully. "I have put \$1,000 to a worse use before now, Georgia."

"Never in your life, Edgar."

"Eh?"

"Never in your life, I say, Edgar." She jumped up two steps, and then turned to confront him. "All the substitutes will be gone after awhile, and then they'll have to call upon us girls to go to the war. If I were drafted I'd not buy a substitute; I'd go."

"I understand you," said he slowly, and leaned against the planter. "You love your country more than all leaders—eh, Georgia?"

She looked down at him with a half perplexed expression in her hazel colored eyes; and just then some leaves from the creeper that clambered the front of the house came fluttering to the ground between them. Stooping, she picked a red one up and held it to him by way of diversion. "Is not that a beautiful color?"

"It is red—a very suggestive one just now, and quite apropos of our conversation, Georgia. Give it to me. That will be a leave taking,

his voice; it was not hard to see that he was angry.

"You understand me in part, Edgar. It is the worse part that you understand; the better escapes you."

"No, I think not, Georgia." He pushed his hat back from his face and gazed steadily at her. "You believe honestly that it is on my account, for my good name, that you are solicitous. Come, now, some of your girl friends have been twitting you with my inglorious proclivities for a whole skin, contrasting the patriotic nobleness of their sweethearts with the selfish pusillanimity of yours. The thought has grown up in your brain that by and by it will be said to you, 'Your husband bought a substitute when he was drafted; you married a man who, when old and young were going to the war, sheltered himself behind his dollars.' Well now, Georgia, listen to me."

"Stop a moment Edgar. Tell me, have you never felt any of this for yourself? No one has ever twitted me as you say, but I have thought, not in my brain but in my heart, where all my thoughts of you grow, Edgar—her cheek flushed, but she spoke resolutely—"that hereafter men may twit you, and you in turn twit me, because when our country cried out loudly, and fathers and brothers, aye, even to the very school lads, took their lives in their hand and answered the call, I perverted love to selfishness, and so stopped your ears that I left you to be one that men could point at and say, 'He stopped at home.'"

"Edgar B—." The hospital aid read the name from a pass presented to him by a lady who applied to see a patient. "Edward B—, No. 5 ward, mediam; sixth bed on the right."

The hospital was clean enough and tidy, considering its crowded state, but the smell of chloride of lime and carbolic acid could not all together quell the sickly odors that drives in waves through a military hospital.

"Not dead. Oh, no, ma'am; he's asleep. He was rather more favorably thought of this morning. Both legs amputated at the knee."

"He is not dead, but sleepeth." Unconsciously she quoted holy words in her heart, that seemed one while to stand still, and then to throb until her breath failed. "That will be a leavetaking, won't it?" The red leaf that had fluttered between them rose in her memory, and the words and the look that accompanied them.

He opened his eyes and another pair are looking into them. A pair of eyes! Ah, no; a soul is looking through them, a soul that measures every variation of intelligence in his—marks when the strangeness of surprise dissolves into the new shape of recognition, when the haziness of pain clears up into the distinctness of comfort.

Not a word is spoken. Only the faces he there touching on the pillow, and only the eyes move, searching every line of each face, saying, in unspoken language, "We are together."

Together! Yes. There should be no more leavetaking till the final one. So Georgia resolved, and while death stalked on every side around Edgar B—'s bed he lived. The surgeon said that Georgia saved him. His discharge came. The war went on, but his country could spare him now.

And so he got home at last to New York—all that his omnivorous

attacked him and the medical men assigned all that remained of him by anticipation to mother earth. There was no pain; life would burn out gently, but there was no hope, and Georgia would not believe them. She pitched her tent against the shadowy foe, and drew out the spear and buckles to fight for her love. She conquered, too, and when she had saved him the doctors declared he had a constitution of cast steel, and condescended to take the credit of his recovery. It was not much of a recovery after all. Only a tottering from the couch to the window, a lifting from the carriage to a bench in the park, but that was a very great deal to her.

With a faint touch of irony all over-wrapped by a smile of good humor had said to her:

"Never mind, Georgia; you will have to get a substitute now."

And she, brave with a true woman's courage, wise with a true woman's tact, made reply:

"My wedding dress is ready, Edgar. When shall we be married."

She knelt, and he propped himself upright upon his crutches before the altar. He will never kneel again; the patriot was exonerated—God knows where his knees are—and then they went away. The bride and her cripple! Not a bit of it—the wife and her hero.

He likes that seat by the lilacs on the north side of the lake. The sunlight glitters on the water fringe that trickles from under the feet of the angel of the fountain, and he says it is a figure of his own life, which is running away over the basin watched over by an angel.

The shadows of the lilacs lengthen out across the path and touch the grass plot, so she lifts the softly padded crutches and smiles her meaning, "Time to go home, Edgar." Sweet serious face. Verily the martyr has his consolation.

That is the idyl.—Percy Robinson in Harper's Bazar.

### FIGS AND THISTLES.

Can your religion be seen? There are no graveyards in Heaven.

Every man is some kind of a coward.

God's sheep all know their shepherd.

No man is proud who knows himself.

Any work is hard work to a lazy man.

The cross can only be seen from a cross.

Every sin is a stab at the heart of Christ.

Keeping sin in the heart keeps Christ out.

"They that sow in tears shall reap in joy."

Every good man builds his own monuments.

How to make hard work easy: Do it for God.

All the suicides in the Bible were backsliders.

Heaven is a prepared place for a prepared people.

Anybody can succeed who will keep close to God.

The apple you mustn't have always looks the sweetest.

The devil hates the man who minds his own business.

God will not come into the heart through the back door.

The greatest miracle of the present time is a holy life.

"Evil shall hunt the violent man, to overthrow him."

There is nothing sadder on earth than an unhappy child.

The way Jesus reached the masses was by going to them.

The only thing that will make anybody good is love to God.

People do not grow in grace by looking at the faults of others.

The way to Heaven is certain and sure for those who will start now.

The less religious people have more they insist upon others having.

The devil loves to hear the man who won't pay his debts talk in church.

No man has given up anything for Christ who has not given up his sins.

The praying don't mean much when the pocket-book won't say amen.

"The Lord is righteous; He hath cast asunder the coils of the wicked."

Babes in Christ sometimes die because they are fed with watered milk.

A woman can be more dangerous on a bicycle than when she throws at hens.

When the devil fishes for men he baits for their hearts not their heads.

No man can fully respect himself as long as his ways do not please God.

The Holy Ghost in the heart is the river of life flowing through the soul.

Good men are hated because their lives tell sinners that they are wrong.

Every time you say, "I can drink or let it alone," the devil will say "Amen."

You don't help God any by making home dismal for the children on Sunday.

One of God's ways of taking hold of us Himself is by giving us friends to love.

Angels probably never get tired of looking at people who are happy in God.

If you want to bring down the sinners outside of the church shoot at those in it.

When a man knows that God is with him it takes a good deal to discourage him.

The sun did a good deal of abiding before there was anybody here to notice it.

People who expect to praise God in Heaven ought to begin to do it here on earth.

Nowhere in the Bible has God promised to protect anybody on the devil's ground.

Being a Christian in earnest means that you have become a brother to every man.

The Lord will never be half as hard on the faithful Christian as he is on himself.

The man who professes to be a Christian ought to work continually at the business.

College President—All the boys have attended prayers regularly this week.

Professor—Not one has missed for two weeks.

President—Humph! Some infernal mischief is brewing.

"What kind of seed ought I to plant, Uncle Si, to get a good squash crop?"

"Squash, o' course. What did yer suppose—flocks!"

"Why do you permit such impudence?" said the Pullman traveler to his companion after a quarrel with the porter.

"Can't help it. He's the porter."



JOHN E. CAMPBELL,  
EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.  
Huntersville, W. Va.  
October 22, 1891.

It is our respect to carry this State election, we should be preparing for it. There are many things to be done before we can be certain of West Va. The leaders of the Democratic party have several duties to perform. In the first place the people must be consulted in the selection of candidates. It will not do for a few men, a lot of ringsters, to assume to run the party. The time for such things are past. Of course we may expect to see the attempt. But the people must see to it that these men are not permitted to foist objectionable candidates upon the party. Our candidates must be men who can command the respect and confidence of the people. We must have no jack-snappers whose only merit is that they happen to have a little money, or who happen to be "in the ring," or the friends of this or that would be leader or party dictator. In the first place, our candidate should be a pure man, with experience and statesmanship. In fact, he must be a broad gauge man—one whom the people know and can trust. One who when he takes his seat, will be the Governor, and not subject to the dictation of any man, or set of men. He must be a man whose presence will suggest the idea of unbiassedness. Our State has plenty such men, but they are unfortunately, as a rule not in the ring, and unless the masses go to work and run the party, they will not be nominated.—There is and always has been of late years, too much personal politics in this State. Too many of our would be leaders overlook the interest of the party in the endeavor to advance their own interest. Was it not for this, West Virginia is good for 10,000 Democratic majority. With their methods the Democrats can only carry the State "by the skin of their teeth."

As we said before it is time to be at work. Politicians who have an "axe to grind" are already at work. But they are not at work for the party. Oh, no; they are at work for themselves. We propose to support the nominees with all the strength we possess; but we do hope the party will not degenerate into a personal campaign. The convention ought to be composed of intelligent men, who are not the slaves of any one; men who have the party at heart; men who consider politics and office seekers as of secondary importance, when compared with the success of the party. The Democratic party has good men in it, whom the people will love to honor. If such men can be nominated, the battle will be half fought.—Independent Herald.

#### AT A COUNTY COURT HELD FOR

the county of Pocahontas, at the Court House thereof on the 6th day of October, 1891.

And the said Matt Wallace, one of said petitioners, now in open court, for himself and all other voters signing said petition, tenders his bond in the penal sum of five thousand dollars, with John T. McGraw, J. W. Marshall, B. M. Yeager, Matt Wallace and Levi Gay as his sureties, conditioned according to law, which said bond having been acknowledged by the signers thereto before the court the same is accepted and approved as sufficient.

And it appearing to the court, that the petitioners in said petition, respectfully ask and desire that the county seat of this county be removed from Huntersville in said county, and be relocated and placed at a point on the east bank of the Greenbrier river in this county, known as "and commonly called Marlin's Bottom, on the lands formerly owned by Andrew M. McGlaughlin, which were conveyed by him and wife to John T. McGraw by deed dated the 18th day of February, 1891, and now of record in the clerk's office of the county court of this county in Deed Book No. 21, page 801, and by Susan E. McGlaughlin by deed dated the 11th day of February, 1891, and recorded in said clerk's office in Deed Book 21, page 807. And that the specific place and location on said lands to which said petitioners ask the removal and re-location of said county seat is indicated as "Court House Square" on a survey and plat of said Marlin's Bottom's lands, made by Oscar A. Veasey, C. E., in surveying and laying out what is known as the Town of Marlinton on said lands, a copy of the said survey, map and plan of said town having been filed in the clerk's office of this county, and now here tendered in open court and filed with said petition, which said place as shown by the deed hereinafter referred to is specially described by metes and bound as follows, to-wit:

Your petitioners therefore pray, that a vote may be taken upon the question of such re-location, at and to the place above indicated, at a special election to be held in the said county on such a day as your Honorable body may indicate, not less than sixty days, nor more than four months from the date of entering an order to this effect. And your petitioners will ever pray etc.

And it appearing to the court, from an inspection of the said petitions that they are signed by an aggregate of six hundred and ninety-seven legal voters and citizens of this county, and that said petitioners ask the removal and re-location of the said county seat at and to the same place, and that said six hundred and ninety-seven legal voters and citizens of this county constitute more than two-fifths of all the legal voters of this county, which is estimated by allowing one vote for every six persons in this county as shown by the last census preceding the entry of this order. And there being no general election held in this county in and during the present year, said petitioners ask that a special election be ordered, had, and held on the question of the removal and re-location of said county seat to the place referred to in said petition, and hereinafter specially described, said election to be held according to the provisions of chapter 29 of the Code of West Virginia, as amended and re-enacted by chapter 87 of the acts of the legislature of West Virginia, entitled, "An Act to amend and re-enact Section 15 of Chapter 89 of the Code of West Virginia," passed on the 27th day of February, 1891.

And the said Matt Wallace, one of said petitioners, now in open court, for himself and all other voters signing said petition, tenders his bond in the penal sum of five thousand dollars, with John T. McGraw, J. W. Marshall, B. M. Yeager, Matt Wallace and Levi Gay as his sureties, conditioned according to law, which said bond having been acknowledged by the signers thereto before the court the same is accepted and approved as sufficient.

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"Beginning at a stout locust post driven firmly into the ground at a point in a straight line drawn through the center of the west end of the Andrew M. McGlaughlin spring-house and the stone chimney at the south end of the H. E. McGlaughlin house, and situated at five hundred and eleven and one-half feet from the center of the west end of said spring-house, and at one thousand and fifty-five feet from the center of said chimney, and at the south corner at the intersection of Judge street and Tenth avenue, as shown on the said Map of Marlinton hereto attached; thence with the south-east side of said avenue south forty degrees and forty-five minutes west two hundred and ninety feet to another locust post driven firmly into the ground at the east corner, at the intersection of Judge street and Tenth avenue; thence with the north-east side of Judge street, south forty-nine degrees and fifteen minutes east two hundred and sixty feet to another locust post driven firmly into the ground at the north corner, at the intersection of Judge street and Tenth avenue; thence with the north-west side of Tenth avenue north forty degrees and forty-five minutes east two hundred and ninety feet to another locust post driven firmly into the ground at the west corner, at the intersection of Judge street and Tenth avenue; thence with the south-west side of Judge street north forty-nine degrees and fifteen minutes west two hundred and sixty feet to the place of beginning."

And it further appearing to the court that the said Matt Wallace, one of said petitioners, now in open court, for himself and all other voters signing said petition, tenders his bond in the penal sum of five thousand dollars, with John T. McGraw, J. W. Marshall, B. M. Yeager, Matt Wallace and Levi Gay as his sureties, conditioned according to law, which said bond having been acknowledged by the signers thereto before the court the same is accepted and approved as sufficient.

And it appearing further by the proposition of said Pocahontas Development Company, by its president and manager, now here in open court made by them, that said company agrees, promises and binds itself to pay the sum of five thousand dollars in money to aid in defraying the cost and expense of a new court house and jail for said county, in the event said removal and re-location are not made, to be held relieved from any claim or title of this court or of this county, to the land therein described.

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On consideration whereof, it is ordered, That a special election be held in this county on the

SECOND TUESDAY IN DECEMBER,

1891, to-wit, on the

8TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1891,

at the several legal voting places in this county, as heretofore fixed and established by the former order of this court, at said election a vote be taken on the question of the relocation of the county seat of Pocahontas county as prayed for in said petitions. And the clerk of this court is directed to make out immediately upon the adjournment of this court, and certify a copy of this order for each of the several voting places in this county as fixed, established, and existing by law, and to deliver them to the sheriff of this county, who is ordered to post one copy of this order at each of the said voting places at least forty days before the said 8th day of December, 1891, and make return thereof according to law. And a copy of this order shall be published in The POCAHONTAS TIMES, a weekly newspaper published at Huntersville in this county, or in some other newspaper of general circulation in this county, at least once a week for four successive weeks prior to said special election herein ordered.

And the ballots used, given, and voted at said election shall have written or printed thereon, "Re-location of County Seat," "For re-location at Marlinton," and "Against Relocation of County seat."

And the court doth appoint the following named persons, commissioners, to hold and conduct said election, for the respective voting places in this county, who, for their respective voting places, shall ascertain and certify the result of such election, as required by law, viz:

For Academy—W. W. Beard, John B. Kinnison and George S. McNeel.

For Split Rock—S. S. Varner, James Herold and W. P. Vandervort.

For Traveler's Repose—O. W. S. Gump, A. M. V. Arbogast, and Jacob L. Arbogast.

For Green Bank—Adam Arbogast, Jacob, S. Woodell and Charles A. Lightner.

For Dunmore—Jacob K. Taylor, B. E. McElwee and George W. Arbogast.

For Frost—Andrew Herold, I. B. Moore and O. O. W. Sharp.

For Huntersville—Sheldon Moore, D. A. Fisher and Wm. L. Harper.

For Blay—A. T. Moore, Henry Barlow and Wm. M. Sharp.

For Buckeye—R. E. Overholt, H. H. McClinton and Wm. O. McNeel.

And the clerk of this court is directed to take and hold said election upon the terms and conditions upon which it is to be held, and said clerk is also directed to accept the bond of said Pocahontas Development Company, and to file the same in his office, to await the further

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—The two colored convicts who escaped from this work on the Hot Spring extension of the C. & O. R. R. and who were lodged in jail on this place for burglary upon a Monday night, were returned to the Penitentiary the first of this week.

**Circuit Court Proceedings.**  
INDICTMENTS, RETURNED OF.  
State of W. Va. vs. J. I. Slaven, A. & H., confessed judgment on fined \$1.00 and costs.  
Same vs. Gratz Slaven, same.  
Same vs. J. R. Apperson, unlaw-  
ful sale of liquor, acquitted, as wit-  
ness did not appear.  
Same vs. Jno. A. Gieger, A. & B.  
not guilty.  
Same vs. Wm. Deener fined \$1.00  
and cost.  
Same vs. Hamilton Collins, un-  
lawful sale of liquor fined \$10.00  
and costs.  
Same vs. Jno. Price, unlawful sale  
of liquor fined \$10.00 and costs.  
Same vs. David Bright, for mur-  
der found guilty in the second de-  
gree, and sentenced to five years in  
the penitentiary.  
Same vs. Enoch Sharp for forging  
a money order was entered.  
**INDICTMENTS.**  
Same vs. Everett Lightner for dis-  
turbance religious worship, two-  
years.  
Same vs. R. M. Beard, Joseph  
Hayes and Jno. H. Brown, same.  
Same vs. A. H. Howalter for A.  
& B.  
Same vs. Walter Cole for A. & B.  
Same vs. Andy Hanna, carrying  
deadly weapons.  
Same vs. Jno. Shinnaberry car-  
rying deadly weapons.  
Same vs. Ed. Jackson for A. & B.  
Same vs. Jno. Hoochen A. & B.  
Same vs. J. A. Wigger carrying  
deadly weapons.  
Same vs. Jno. L. Carr, mixed  
murder.  
Same vs. Elden Cochran for dis-  
turbance religious worship.  
Same vs. Geo. W. Seales, same.  
Grand jury discharged.  
**Five Years in the Penitentiary.**  
The trial of David Bright for the  
murder of Preston O. Truett, Jr.,  
Nov., the circumstances of which  
our readers are acquainted with,  
came to an end this morning.  
The trial and speeches of the  
attorneys occupied two days, when  
the jury went to their room and  
returned a verdict of guilty of  
murder in the second degree, in about  
two hours.  
All through the trial the jury  
room was crowded to overflow,  
and considerable interest man-  
ifested by all present.  
The parents, brother and sisters  
of the accused, stayed through the  
trial with almost tireless ant-  
ipation, scarcely leaving the Co-  
rthouse, the accused, seeming to  
be not indifferent of the same  
except to ask the jury after an  
absence of about two hours that  
the Court room and the accused  
were not to be disturbed to an al-  
teration of the trial.  
When the verdict was returned,  
it seemed to give relief to the  
stricken parents, and the pro-  
secution exhibited no emotion, all as-  
pect of the trial was over.

In the case of his younger brother, J. A. Bright who was indicted as an accessory to the crime, the prosecuting attorney entered a nolle prosequi, and he was discharged. No doubt the youthfulness of these two boys saved them a long term in the penitentiary and possibly one of their necks from the gallows.

The attorneys both for the defence and prosecution made able and eloquent speeches.

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### THREE NEGROES LYNCHED. In Clifton Forge, Va.

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#### All Hanged to one Tree and Riddled with Bullets.

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On last Saturday afternoon a sad and frightful tragedy took place one and a half miles from Clifton Forge, Va., between officers and negroes, in which one white man, and one negro lost their lives, and several others were wounded.

The negroes came to Clifton Forge from the Bell Hill mine creating a disturbance. An officer arrested one of them and was compelled to give him up at the point of pistols from the others.

The negroes then left, the officer and other citizens following them to drop Gale with the above result. Later in the day four of the gang were captured, and three of them were strung up to the same tree and riddled with bullets. The fourth's youthfulness saved his neck.

No further trouble is anticipated.

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### WASHINGTON LETTER.

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From our regular correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 16th.

Representatives Mills and Orin are the two candidates for the speakership of the House who are by general acknowledgement the leaders of the race, and one of whom will bring unexpected developments, given the coveted honor of preading over the next House of Representatives while the other will hang partly off the floor, both happened to be in town at the same time this week, and everybody was on the look out for news of their speakership prospects, but both of the gentlemen are apparently more interested in the several State campaigns now going on than their own.

The Speaker's campaign will really begin in earnest until after the State election, because no considerable number of Representatives will be in Washington until then.

The Italian Chamber of Commerce of New York City has for a long time in fact ever since the passage by Congress of the recent inspection act, been at work trying to coax the Italian government of the violation of removing the restrictions which it had in common with other continental nations of Europe, placed upon the importation of American pork. This week M. L. Contino, the President of the Chamber of Commerce, came to Washington to announce that the efforts have been successful, and that the Italian government would shortly lift the restriction. Straight away there was a concerted rush from the administration crowd about the great diplomatic triumph achieved by the administration through the Star Porter. Diplomatic ballads were written, and a friendly agreement in diplomatic relations between Italy and this country. Italy had not only lifted the ban upon the Star Porter, but also upon the pork, and the Italian government had agreed to the importation of American pork into Italy.

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 ing the duty on American wheat,  
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 sugar has been admitted free ever  
 since the sugar schedule of the Mc-  
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HE DREW HIM OUT.

It was in the parlor of a Boston boarding house.

"You are from Cape Cod, are you?" said the wit of the house addressing the new comer and "winking to his fellow boarders as if to say, 'watch how I will draw him out.'"

"Yes."

"Cape Cod runs a long way into the sea, I believe?"

"Yes, a good bit."

"Pretty dampish climate, I think?"

"Not particularly so."

"Well, now, when I was down there I thought it was. The rain appeared to me to be damper than in the city and to wet one more. It made me pretty wet I know. Say don't you think the rain wetter there than here?"

"I don't know down there we go in when it rains."

Then the boarders laughed and the drawing out process was brought to an abrupt conclusion.

BY MARRIAGE.

A traveler says that he was riding along a cattle trail near the New Mexico line when he met a rather pompous looking native of the region who introduced himself as Colonel Higgins, of Devil's River.

"Were you a Colonel in the confederate army?" he asked.

"Oh, no."

"On the Union side, then?"

"No, ah, never was in no war."

"Belong to the Texas Rangers?"

"No, ah, I do not."

"Ah, I see. You command one of the state militia regiments."

"No, ah, I don't. Don't know nothing about soldiering."

"Where, then, did you get the rank of colonel?"

"I'm a knunnel by marriage, ah."

"By marriage? How's that?"

"I married the widow of a knunnel ah—Knunnel Thompson, of Waco."

PITTING THE FAULT.

A certain woman of fashion conspicuous in Washington society, whose infirmity of temper has given rise to very interesting gossip occasionally, figures in a quiet little story.

A short time ago she was entertaining at supper, a lady of her acquaintance, when it chanced that there was placed on the table a small jar of jam. The hostess of the evening, as one of the guests, was very much interested in the jam. The lady of the house, who was very much interested in the jam, was very much interested in the jam. The lady of the house, who was very much interested in the jam, was very much interested in the jam.

dy entertained, to say the least of it. Of course, however, she pretended to take no notice, merely glancing shyly at her host, who made the third person at the table, to see if he noticed any connection respecting the preceding. But he only smiled slightly beneath his mustache and made no remark.

Unconsciously he asked her if she would have some chicken salad, of which a big dish full made the principal feature among the viands.

"I thank you, no," she replied, merely because she had a preference for something else.

Immediately, as if it were a matter of course, the host picked up the chicken salad and threw it dish and all out of the window into the garden.

"It's a way we have here," he remarked calmly.

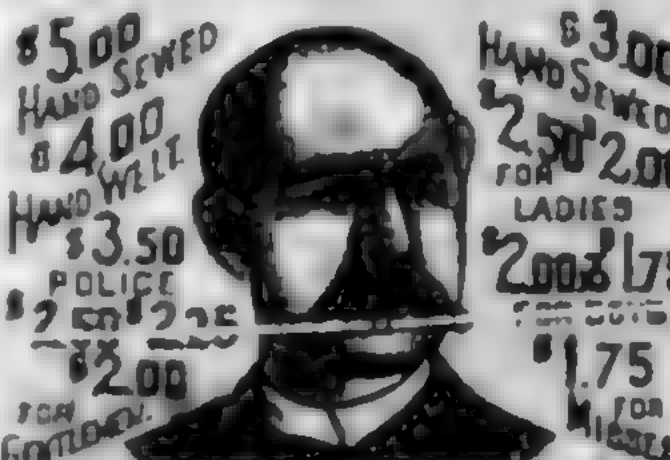
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Nora was a close friend of Bessie, but in all a contrast. She was no tenderly nurtured heiress, but a poor brave girl, who had by the force of her intellect, study and hard work gained an enviable position in the literary world. Her income from her writings was very handsome; she visited in the most aristocratic circles; she was charming in person and manners, and dressed like the rest of the fashionable world. But then Julius felt that in every sense she would not only be the better half, but probably the four-fourths of the house; and that his personality would sink into Mrs. May's husband.

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Do they ever say what they intended? Do they remember what they say? I don't believe Julius did, for before he had done—right in the middle of a most eloquent sentence—Bessie laid her hand on his with a frightened little movement, saying:

"Mr. May, please, sir, please do stop! Surely you know that I have been engaged ever since I was sixteen to Prof. Mark Tyler. Everybody knows it—we had a betrothal party—he is just gone to Europe for six months, that is what I was crying for, why, all our set knew about it, though he has been away nearly two years in the Rocky mountains and California. Mamma said we were to wait until I was twenty-one, but I love him just the same—and I am quite sure that I never did anything to make you think I could care for you in this way. Mr. May, and Bessie looked just a little bit indignant.

"I have had the honor, Miss Bell, of being your escort all winter."

"Oh, dear! Did you think I was going to marry you for all that? In all our pleasant little dinners and drives and dances is there matrimonial speculation? That would, indeed, be dreadful!"

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To this speedily succeeded the thought of Nora, her must see her to-night; to-morrow Bessie would give her own version of his conduct, and then—well, he would not acknowledge that that could make any difference in Nora's liking for him. "And yet," he murmured, "women are such uncertain creatures." Where his own interests were concerned, Julius was not wanting in a certain strength and decision of character, and in less than an hour after his rejection by Bessie Bell he had so far composed and encouraged himself as to determine upon a visit to Nora, though whether he should offer himself or not was a point he left to the development of circumstances.

He found Nora at home, and more over, she seemed disposed to welcome him with extra cordiality. In a little while he managed to make the conversation drift toward Bessie.

Would she be married when the professor returned from Europe?

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"Very."

"Yet you will lose your friend?"

"By no means. She will remain at home and the professor and I are very old friends; he knew me when I was a little girl."

"Indeed! Perhaps you may marry before Miss Bell?"

"I may do so. I have no specific against doing such a thing eventually, but I am quite sure I shall not do so immediately."

"Why not?"

"Because I cannot afford it. I am just one of those women who would be likely to make a mess of money matters—and I repeat, I cannot afford it just yet. I have no other extravagance before me, a great deal nicer than a husband."

"I should like to know what it is."

"A long European tour, with perhaps a peep at the Pyramids and a ramble about old Jerusalem."

"Oh dear!" said Julius, in a tone half serious and half mocking. "I should have no chance, I suppose, against such a temptation?"

"None at all," she said positively, and though she kept up the bantering tone, it was quite evident to Julius that if he asked her in sober earnest, she would answer just the same with slightly different accent.

But Nora, with a woman's ready tact, turned the conversation, and gradually led it into a very unusual and practical channel—the nobility and the necessity of labor. The glowing thoughts, the plain yet hopeful truths that her young woman uttered, Julius heard for the first time in his life that night. Never before had he realized the profit and the deep delight which might spring—and only spring—from an honest career, no matter how humble or laborious, if it was steadily pursued until success crowned it. She hid none of her own early mistakes and struggles, and then, alluding to her assured position and comfort, asked Julius how he supposed she had won it?

"By your genius she said admiringly."

"Not so sir, but by simple persevering, conscientious labor in the path I had marked out for myself. Therefore," she said, with a bright, imperative face, "go home to night, Mr. May, choose what particular form of law you will study, throw yourself with all your capacities into that one subject, and success is sure to come. Depend upon it, the world is not far wrong in making success the test of merit."

"You have made a new man of me, Miss St. Clair," said Julius enthusiastically. "When I have proved this, may I come in to see you again?"

He had risen to go and they stood with clasped hands—"Then you may come again." Nothing more was said but they quite understood each other, and Julius went out into the clear star lit night, determined to make himself worthy of a good woman's acceptance before he offered himself again.

Next evening Bessie and Nora sat in the firelight, sipping their after dinner coffee; it was an hour for confidence, and Bessie said rather sadly:

"Poor Julius May—he asked me to marry him last night."

Nora turned quickly but said nothing.

"That is he wanted to marry my mother, not me."

pel of work when you're in trouble. When he had done it, I told him he might come and see me again."

"Surely you would never marry him! You will just have him to dress and take care of."

"All men need women to care for them, else why were women made? But I think Julius will do very well yet. These elegant carpet knights sometimes don armor and take the world by surprise."

"Not much," laughed Bessie.

"Remember how England's curled darlings' stormed the Mahakoff and battered down Sebastopol. I am going to trust Julius May for a year or two, I think he'll do."

"We shall see."

"Yes, we shall see. Time proves all things."

Time proved in this case what has often been asserted: "That every woman influences every man she comes in contact with, either for good or bad." Julius went steadily to work, used with economy the remains of his patrimony, became known among lawyers as a hard-reading, clear-headed, steady young man, and in a little more than two years he ventured to call again on Nora St. Clair and ask her a certain question, to which she answered, with pride and confidence: "Yes."

Another evening Bessie and Nora sat sipping their coffee together in the gloaming of an early summer evening.

"Bessie," said Nora, "Julius May asked me last night to marry him."

"Going to do so, Nora?"

"Yes, dear, I am going to take care of him, and he is going to take care of me."

God grant that in the larger liberty to which woman aspires, she may consider how vast a power is her influence and use it only for gracious ends!

KNIGHTS OF LABOR.

There were five hard-looking men seated on a bench in City Hall park yesterday, and while four of them were asleep the fifth sat looking at his own toes. By and by along came a man who halted to ask:

"Do any of you men want work?"

"Whats the pay?" asked the fifth, after a long silence.

"Why, I'll give one dollar and fifty cents a day."

"Whats the work?"

"Digging a cellar."

"I don't want it."

"Don't any of the rest want a job?"

"I think not; but if you'll make the pay two dollars a day and the work picking strawberries I'll take the chance of waking them up."

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"Is it not a mesalliance?"

Nora's eyes grew dangerously bright.

"Certainly not. Prof. Mark Tyler is a wonderful chemist and geologist—a man of world wide fame. It is a great honor for Bessie to be loved by such a great soul."

"Very!"

"Yet you will lose your friend?"

"By no means. She will remain at home and the professor and I are very old friends; he knew me when I was a little girl."

"Indeed! Perhaps you may marry before Miss Bell?"

"I may do so. I have no specific against doing such a thing eventually, but I am quite sure I shall not do so immediately."

"Why not?"

"Because I cannot afford it. I am just one of those women who would be likely to make a mesalliance—in money matters—and I repeat, I cannot afford it just yet. I have another extravagance before me, a great deal nicer than a husband."

"I should like to know what it is."

"A long European tour, with perhaps a peep at the Pyramids and a ramble about old Jerusalem."

"Oh dear!" said Julius, in a tone half serious and half mocking. "I should have no chance, I suppose, against such a temptation?"

"None at all," she said positively, and though she kept up the bantering tone, it was quite evident to Julius that if he asked her in sober earnest, she would answer just the same with slightly different accent.

But Nora, with a woman's ready tact, turned the conversation, and gradually led it into a very unusual and practical channel—the nobility and the necessity of labor. The glowing thoughts, the plain yet hopeful truths that for young woman uttered, Julius heard for the first time in his life that night. Never before had he realized the profit and the deep delight which might spring—and only spring—from an honest career, no matter how humble or laborious, if it was steadily pursued until success crowned it. She hid none of her own early mistakes and struggles, and then, alluding to her assured position and comfort, asked Julius how he supposed she had won it?

"By your genius she said admiringly."

"Not so sir, but by simple persevering, conscientious labor in the path I had marked out for myself. Therefore," she said, with a bright, imperative face, "go home to night, Mr. May, choose what particular form of law you will study, throw yourself with all your capacities into that one subject, and success is sure to come. Depend upon it, the world is not far wrong in making success the test of merit."

"You have made a new man of me, Miss St. Clair," said Julius enthusiastically. "When I have proved this, may I come in to see you again?"

He had risen to go and they stood with clasped hands—"Then you will come again." Nothing more was said but they quite understood each other, and Julius went out into the clear star lit night, determined to make himself worthy of a good woman's acceptance before he offered himself again.

Next evening Bessie and Nora sat in the firelight, sipping their after dinner coffee; it was an hour for confidence, and Bessie said rather sadly:

"Poor Julius May—he asked me to marry him last night."

Nora turned quickly but said nothing.

"That is he wanted to marry my money, everybody knows that if he loves anybody really, it is you."

"He called on me, too, last night," said Nora, and I saw he was in trouble, so I gave him something to do. Nothing like that did old Julius."

pet of work when you're in trouble. When he had done it, I told him he might come and see me again."

"Surely you would never marry him! You will just leave him to dress and take care of."

"All men need women to care for them, else why were women made? But I think Julius will do very well yet. These elegant capot knights sometimes don armor and take the world by surprise."

"Not much," laughed Bessie.

"Remember how England's noted shillings' stormed the Malakoff and battered down Sebastopol. I am going to trust Julius May for a year or two, I think he'll do."

"We shall see."

"Yes, we shall see. Time proves all things."

Time proved in this case what has often been asserted: "That every woman influences every man she comes in contact with, either for good or bad." Julius went steadily to work, used with economy the remains of his patrimony, became known among lawyers as a hard-reading, clear-headed, steady young man, and in a little more than two years he ventured to call again on Nora St. Clair and ask her a certain question, to which she answered, with pride and confidence: "Yes!"

Another evening Bessie and Nora sat sipping their coffee together in the gloaming of an early summer evening.

"Bessie," said Nora, "Julius May asked me last night to marry him."

"Going to do so, Nora?"

"Yes, dear, I am going to take care of him, and he is going to take care of me."

God grant that in the larger liberty to which woman aspires, she may consider how vast a power is her influence and use it only for gracious ends!

## KNIGHTS OF LABOR.

There were five hard-looking men seated on a bench in City Hall park yesterday, and while four of them were asleep the fifth sat looking at his own toes. By and by along came a man who halted to ask:

"Do any of you men want work?"

"Whats the pay?" asked the fifth, after a long silence.

"Why, I'll give one dollar and fifty cents a day."

"Whats the work?"

"Digging a cellar."

"I don't want it."

"Don't any of the rest want a job?"

"I think not; but if you'll make the pay two dollars a day and the work picking strawberries I'll take the chance of waking them up."

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our regular correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 28d—

A delegation of prominent Tennesseans were here this week to ask Mr. Harrison to promote U. S. District Judge F. S. Hammond, of the West Tennessee district, to the bench of the new Circuit Court.

Secretary Blaine's man, Joseph A. Manley, was here this week, and it is believed that he brought a confidential verbal message to Mr. Harrison.

Mr. Harrison has succeeded in corraling Fred Douglass, who since he was kicked out of the Haytian mission has shown a disposition to use whatever influence he possessed with the negro voters of the country against Mr. Harrison. Not only has Mr. Harrison gotten a flat footed public avowal of support from Douglass, but he is also supposed to have been at the bottom of the slur which Douglass made in a speech here this week upon Secretary Blaine and his management of the unfortunate Wolf St. Nicholas matter. Douglass claims to have documents in his possession that would, if published, show the Department of State in a very different light from which it is now viewed. Mr. Harrison may be the warm friend of Secretary Blaine that he professes to be, but it is nevertheless a fact that Mr. Harrison's friends invariably when saying in public something nice about him add something either directly or by implication derogatory to Mr. Blaine.

Representative Mills, who made nineteen speeches in Ohio, is now resting in this city preparatory to taking part in the campaign in Massachusetts, where he is under engagement to make six or eight speeches. Mr. Mills reports Governor Campbell's prospects as growing better every day. Speaking of his prospects on the free coinage of silver Mr. Mills said: "I am convinced that the best interest of the party demand that tariff reform shall be made the principal issue in the present fight, and as nothing practical can be accomplished in the way of silver legislation, during the next Congress, there is no use to agitate the subject now."

#### Death of Mr. J. Howard C. Arbogast

The death of this young man occurred on Tuesday last, the 18th inst., in this place. He was a son of Mr. Frank Arbogast, of Traveler's Repose, Pocahontas county, and came to Lewisburg in August with his aunt, the late Mrs. Agnes Lavan, with whom he expected to board. He entered and attended the Green-Town Male Academy shortly after his arrival. He was taken ill with gastric fever at the hospitable home of Isaac & Mary. For weeks he was ill, but a couple of weeks ago he began to be convalescent and was sent to his home, and after the family doctor attended him, but a few days more of bed and a relapse occurred, and he died. He was a quiet, unassuming, young man, and during his brief sojourn in this place he had secured a number of friends, and his death is a great loss to the community.

Notice is hereby given that the following described tracts or lots of land, in the County of Pocahontas, which are delinquent for the non-payment of taxes for the years 1889 and 1890, will be offered for sale by the undersigned sheriff, at public auction at the front door of the Court House of said County, between the hours of ten in the morning and four in the afternoon on the 14th day of December, 1891, that being the second Monday in the month. Each tract or lot, or so much thereof as shall be necessary, will be sold for so much cash, as is sufficient to satisfy the amount due thereon as set forth in the following table:

NAME OF PERSON CHARGED WITH TAXES.	QUANTITY OF LAND.	LOCAL DESCRIPTION.	Total amount of taxes, interest, cost of publication, being amount to be paid in full before sale.	Total amount of taxes, interest, cost of publication, being amount to be paid in full before sale.
<b>GREEN BANK DISTRICT.</b>				
Conrad Lewis C.	600	Hd w'trs Greenb'r rv.	4 49	4 74
Camden G. D. & Crouches heirs	1300	" Greenbrier rv.	0 13	0 38
Campbell J. B. Est.	60	West "	1 34	1 59
Campbell Sam'l B.	271	Greenbrier rv.	38 14	38 38
Cunningham W. A.	71	" "	1 52	1 77
Davis Jas. O. & Isaac N.	262	Hd. Greenbrier rv.	3 30	3 53
same	150	same	2 21	2 36
Heavenor's Jacob Est.	20	E. Branch Deer cr.	2 01	2 26
Hutton Alfred	298	lot 596 Greenbrier rv	4 64	4 89
Hickman Mary A.	1	In Green Bank	12 31	12 56
Kimble Jason & J. F. Ault.	140	Hd. Greenbrier rv.	2 00	2 25
Morrow Wm. N.	904	E. Branch Gr. rv.	10 21	10 40
same	915	same	10 42	10 67
McLaughlin Dan Est.	45	Deer creek	1 09	1 31
Senton Mary A. wife of Jno. A.	391	Brush Run	3 34	3 59
Sharp John Sr. Est.	2308	Alleghany Mt	16 40	16 74
Stevens Geo. O.	901	E. Branch Greb'r rv.	9 55	9 80
same	915	same	9 69	9 94
Wernick Jno. H.	333	Back Alleghany	3 41	3 66
Wallong Michael	337	Alleghany Mt.	9 84	10 09
<b>EDRAY DISTRICT.</b>				
Armstrong Jno. H.	483	Swago	2 65	2 90
Adkinson Abel Est.	1353	same	90	15
Armstrong B. F.	512	same	1 04	2 19
Auldridge Wm. & G. W. Hill's Est.	221	M. Lick	1 21	1 46
Cameron Geo. H.	297	Dry Branch	4 38	4 63
Dilley Wm.	100	W. Gr. river	9 40	9 65
Friel Israel	68	Greenbrier river	1 15	1 40
Hannah David Est.	290	W. Gnuly Mt.	2 44	2 69
Hogsett Sam'l Est.	883	Old Field Fk.	14 03	14 28
same	138	same	8 64	8 89
Jackson Wm.	100	Slaty Fork	5 39	5 64
Kee S. R.	233	Swago Creek	3 40	3 74
McDowell, Martin & Jno. Col.	121	Adj. John Gay	2 02	2 27
Moore Isaac B.	172	Waters Elk Riv.	79	1 04
McDonald Geo. W.	304	Thorney Flat	19 76	20 01
same	1633	Wat. Big Spring	103 94	104 19
same	167	same	2 63	2 88
Porter W. A. & Wm.	285	Hd. Laurel Run	4 10	4 36
Skyles Jennie B.	1	Marlin's Bottom	11 27	11 52
Wheeler Robt. (col.)	43	Adj. Auldridge	73	98
Warwick Jno. W. & E. M. Hills' heirs	361	Clover Crk	5 08	5 33
same	20	W. Greenbrier rv.	73	98
same	265	same	3 89	4 14
Warwick Jno. W.	510	Greenbrier River	2 15	2 40
<b>HUNTERSVILLE DISTRICT.</b>				
Courtney Geo. W. Est.	111	Buckley Mtn.	87	1 12
Cobb Amanda	100	same	84	1 09
Crug G. B. Est.	24	Adj. Huntersville	4 40	4 65
Campbell William	90	Alleghany Mtn	84	1 07
Green Sarah	Lot 24	Huntersville	2 02	2 27
Harris Randolph	4	Waters Knappa's cr	24	40
Holcomb Joseph	48	J. Cochran's crk	2 27	2 53
Hueck George F. M.	410	Little Back Creek	3 39	3 64
King Chas	20	15 p Hills	4 83	5 08
Rose Andrew M. & wife	48	Buckley Mt	67	92
Seibert Jos. Est. & Herald	690	Waters Dothard's cr	4 73	4 98
Shuler R. P. G.	15	Buckley Mtn.	58	83
Townsend W. F.	100	E. Greenbrier Riv	2 90	3 15
White Henry & Jos. Seibert's heirs	800	Middle Mtn.	2 77	3 03
same	1200	Middle Mtn.	3 79	4 01
Young Chas.	189	Marlin's Mtn	1 94	2 19
<b>LITTLE LEVELS.</b>				
Anderson Morgan	1	Brush Run	56	81
same	13	Bruffay's creek	1 64	1 89
Bradley Mary J.	46	Bruffay's creek	1 61	1 86
same	45	same	1 24	1 49
Dean J. P.	87	Mid Hill	2 24	2 57
Runkin Rachel	304	Oldham Run	12 56	12 81
McNeel Rachael C. Mrs.	498	Cannberry	2 86	3 11
same	51	Greenbrier	95	1 20
McNeel Rachael C. Est. and Jos. Beert	38	E. Droop Mount.	99	1 24
Reid Joseph	2	Stamping crk	1 25	1 50
Rodgers Geo. M.	125	Laurel creek	1 45	1 70
Rider George B.	75	S. Br. Beaver Lick	2 22	2 52
Rider A. T. J. & Laura J.	138	Poplar Flats	2 22	2 52
Smith Emma E.	138	Stamping creek	82	1 07
Schenck Margaret Est.	125	Hillsboro		

Re-apportionment—State tax, \$133.69; County tax, \$133.44; District tax, \$134.96. Total \$402.09.

Any of the above-mentioned tracts or lots may be redeemed by the payment to the undersigned Sheriff, before sale, of the amount due thereon. Given under my hand this 27th day of October, 1891.

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HOME NEWS

Read the delinquent list this week, it may interest you.

Court adjourned last Friday night.

Rev W. T. Price, of Marlinton called to see us Monday morning.

J. H. Weymouth, dentist and his son of Beverly were here a few days last week.

A marriage license was issued last Saturday to Mr. J. A. Gibson and Miss Lillie V. Varner.

Mr. J. H. Poage, of Edray is visiting his daughter Mrs. Anna Harlow and family this week.

Farmers are now husking corn, and a better crop was never known in this country, so they say.

WANTED.—50 bushels of ears of corn, and one good two horse load of hay, at THE TIMES office.

Attorney O. F. Moore, who has been home on a visit the past week returned to Clifton Forge Va. today.

On the 24th inst. Miss Annie V. Pritchard and Mr. Jno. R. Hevener, were married at the home of the bride's parents at Donmore.

Mr. P. Vandevort, of Split Rock has bought the store at that place, of Marshall & Moore. We print this week a nice lot of stationery for him.

Mr. A. N. Barlow and Miss Francis Sharp, both of Edray were married on the 22nd inst. at the home of the bride's parents, by Rev. G. P. Moore.

Dead, Mr. Stuart Rider, of Poplar Flats, at his home this morning at 4 o'clock, of fever. He was about 30 years of age, and leaves a wife and seven or eight children to mourn his loss.

Miss M. M. Apperson, daughter of Capt. Jack Apperson of Marlinton and Mr. H. S. Galford, of Back-see, were married the 13th inst. at the home of the bride's parents, by Rev. Joshua Buckley.

If you always hear a man grumbling about and running down his county paper, you can set it down that he never pays for it. Unfortunately we have a few of the kind, and who will hear something drop from their lips that will not be pleasant to the ear.

Born to Mr. J. B. Lockridge and wife last Monday night, a fine ten pound boy. The Doctor tells us that his first entrance was "Hurrah for Burna Vista, tariff reform, Cleveland, the next President of the U. S. and a good deal more before he stopped to catch his breath.

The first of this week Mr. J. C. Lorry, Sr. had laid off, west of Huntersville 51 of the most beautiful town lots we have ever seen. This certainly is a step in the right direction, and no doubt others will follow Mr. Lorry's example, and ere another year Huntersville will more than double its population and bid fair to become by far, the leading town of this section. The prices are low, and within the reach of every working man, who for a month's wages or a little more, can buy a lot to build him a home upon, and pay for it for what it would cost to rent the same property for three years or less.

Circuit Court Proceedings  
(Continued from last week.)

Overholt & Vance vs. (Hirschell and Arlbaum). It is ordered that up to the 1st of next month, the parties to this case, and all persons claiming an interest in the same, shall appear in court to show cause why the proposed partition should not be made.

State of W. Va. vs. J. F. Sharp. Indicted for taking and converting the same into his own use, the sum of \$100.00, of and about the property of the State.

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last, report of com'r's to divide land, confirmed.

Sherry vs. Lockridge suit dismissed.

State of W. Va. vs. Paul McNeel's forfeited land, referred to W. H. Grose com'r.

Amos Harlow vs. St. Lawrence Room Mfg Co. dismissed.

R. M. Thompson executrix of Wm. Thompson, dec'd. vs. W. G. Gilkeson, decree of sale.

I. W. Herold vs. J. B. Hannah's heirs decree of sale.

D. W. S. Alderman vs. Jas. Pyles heirs &c. decree of partition.

Jno. Dilley's adm'r. vs. Wm. Dilley & others, decree of sale.

Hull's adm'r. &c. vs. Hull's heirs &c. confirmation of com'r's report, and recommitment for further report.

Henry Grose vs. S. P. Patterson & others decreed partition of land.

Uriah Hevener vs. Lafayette Barner et. als. confirmation of sale.

Paul McNeel's Exor's. vs. Sam'l Andridge & als. confirmation of sale.

E. H. Moore and wife vs. Wm. Burr adm'r. and others, referred to com'r.

Abraham Burkett vs. Geo. W. Kerr, set aside tax deed.

Augusta National Bank vs. Tardy, Urquhart & others continued.

Jno. Dilley's adm'r vs. Jno. Dilley's heirs, order of reference to com'r.

Jacob Taylor &c. vs. Margaret &c. order to allot her dower in said land.

Jno. Pickering & al. vs. H. S. Rucker & al. order that defendant have leave to file his answer.

McAllister vs. S. O. Tardy, & S. C. Tardy, Jr., order to file answer.

Nannie E. Beard guardian &c., vs. Grace V. and Rachael P. Beard her wards, petition for sale of land.

R. P. G. Shafer vs. Rucker & others continued.

H. S. Turk vs. St. Lawrence Room & Mfg Co., conjunction dissolved and case dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

Martha Ann Rider vs. A. W. Rider continued.

Wm. Gibson vs. C. A. Yeager & als. rule to show cause why the land should not be resold.

Wm D. Moore's adm'r. vs. Wm. D. Moore's heirs &c., order of reference to com'r's.

The Removal Question.

GREEN BANK, W. Va., Oct. 26th.

ED. TIMES: Much has been said by the agitators of our County seat removal matter, but they have never made it apparent why said removal should be made, and when I attempt to give but a few of many reasons why our County seat should not be removed I answer the wishes of 2 to 3 of the citizens of this the Green Bank District.

First—We have one of the best jails in West Va., and at a cost of \$5,000 to us—the contractors declaring they lost \$3,000 on the job of constructing it, which virtually declares that our jail is worth \$3,000.

Second—We have been to accommodate the upper end of the county and an appropriation of about \$1,000 to make a road around the mountain below Huntersville so as to give the people of the lower end of the county access to it, and now a few foreigners wish to boom Marlinton and to add in it offer a lot and \$5,000 (and such men do not buy pig-pokes or offer \$5,000, unless by it they intend to make many times that amount), and many who seem not to see their interests clearly think that we should not fail to take in the \$5,000 like a money bag, supposing for a full price.

Now I mean to utter the sentiment of many, many sturdy and far seeing citizens when I say to you my fellow tax payers, vote in this subject with sense and sobriety. This is an important matter, and when men say that our County seat should be removed that the proposed Court house shall cost but \$15,000,

remember, that court commissioners do not hold office like supreme judges, and the Court that now knows as may soon know us no more. Who knows what life's uncertainty or political diversion may bring fourth.

When we vote to move the county seat we are forging the fetters that will bind us to stand to this matter through evil as well as through good report, and when the dye is once cast the yoke is upon us—we are in for all time let the cost be small or large.

Take the County estimate of the Court house cost—\$10,000 falling to us, \$3,000 to remove the jail would put us in \$13,000, with the \$5,000 lost on the bridge which would make us realize a loss of \$21,000—which is the lowest possible estimate and we must expect it to be very much more, and why should we give \$21,000 for the sake of a lot and \$5,000 in cash? We feel grateful to foreigners who mean by railroads &c. to develop our Co., but for us to give \$25,000 or \$30,000 to aid in foreign speculation it does seem strange.

To those in the lower end of the Co., we would say that you may suppose that getting our Court house 6 miles lower down from us is stimulating to fight this matter, but upon our honor this 6 miles figures as a very insignificant or small item in this matter, but let us appeal to you to stand with us in trying to repel the faction that would put such a tax upon us as this removal would entail.

Some cry out railroad, railroad, and for the life of Court-house-removal-agitators they cannot show that this matter has anything to do with the railroad, or a railroad with this county seat removal. The whole matter is plain, and a "wayfaring man though a fool may not err, therein" if he will listen to plain practical reasoning. I do not mean by the above to say that the men who are favoring this removal are fools by any means—no, they are men who should know better.

Trusting that I have not been an intruder, I am yours, E. W.

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Craig is not a Mongolian, my dear. He is rich and good looking and clever as can be."

"Bah!" said Amy, as she knotted her veil above the fluffy coil of blonde hair. "I almost hate him already."

"That is what he said about you!" Beulah observed, coolly.

"Then he has some sense," Amy replied. "Come, Beulah, let us alone! There is no use of trying to strike an Austruther-Craig alliance just for the sake of raking up the family arms. What do we Americans care for the duke of Austruther and the earl of Craig? My grandfather kept a shop, you know, and Henry Craig was a wholesale shoe manufacturer. You might as well let us go on being common. There! I'm all ready. Where's Dicky?"

An infant warwhoop in the hall was her reply.

With the small author of that yell she went to the merry-go-round pavilion, but the ring of flying animals had just started and Amy and Dicky sat down to wait. Near them was a little girl a perfect fairy, in white, with long floating hair and pleading eyes.

"Please, Uncle Bert, won't you let me go?" she coaxed a gentleman beside her. "I won't get hurt. See! There's Nellie Graham riding a camel all alone. Please let me go!"

"Charlotte, you mustn't ask me, dear. Your mother told me to take care of you, and I don't know what she thinks of merry-go-rounds. I couldn't think of letting you go alone."

"The child was silent; but Amy saw great tears rolling down her cheeks, and said, very quickly: "If you don't mind, your little girl can go with out Dicky. Dicky, you'll take care of her, won't you dear? Dicky's an old merry-go-rounder."

"Oh!" cried Charlotte. "May I, Uncle Bert?"

"Do you think it is all right?" the gentleman inquired, looking at Amy.

"Oh, yes; it is perfectly safe. Let her go. She will enjoy it."

The going mug, and Dicky held out his hands. "The Little Fisher" was ground out gayly from the organ, and Charlotte mounted the carousel.

Amy found her companion delighted. It was her old look when a child has come back, with their cheeks all aglow.

"Come back to-morrow," said Dicky, hospitably. "We'll have a great afternoon, don't you see. And Amy?"

"I'm actually very much obliged to you, Dicky," said the girl, looking at him. "And the little fisher?"

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Round and round they went. "How do you like it?" Amy asked.

He shook his head. "I feel like a singing top," he said, dabbly.

"Better sit down," she said, but he did not move.

Once more they spun around. Amy's escort uttered a low exclamation and staggered against the feet of the horse.

"I am horribly giddy," he said, faintly.

"Take care!" she cried, reaching out her hand. "This way!"

He took a step toward her. His face was deadly pale.

"Good heavens!" he cried. "How horrible this is!"

The next moment there was a cry from the spectators in the pavilion. He had fallen at the feet of the horse and the flying wheel flung him off with terrible force upon the floor.

There was wild excitement in a moment.

Amy felt herself getting deathly sick when she saw him lying there motionless.

The organ stopped. Everybody rushed to the scene of the disaster.

"He is badly hurt, I'm afraid," Amy heard some one say. "Who is he? Where does he live?"

"He is my Uncle Bert," said little Charlotte, bursting into tears. "We live a long way from here, down at Ventnor."

"Take him to a hotel," some one suggested.

"This gentleman is a friend of mine," said Amy with a sudden resolution. "Will some one call a carriage from the beach? I will take him to my sister's house."

The poor fellow never spoke or moved till long after he had been undressed and put to bed in Mrs. Stuyvesant's spare bedroom.

Beulah was out when Amy arrived. When she heard what had happened she simply said:

"Well, upon my word, Amy! That is like you. Who is he?"

"I—I really don't know," Amy replied, with a vivid blush; "but I am sure he is a gentleman."

Beulah stared and went up to look at the poor man who was lying on the bed with commotion of the brain. The doctor was with him and a nurse whom Amy had got somewhere.

Beulah looked at the pale face, with its regular features and classic nose, only began to hear, and she uttered an exclamation of surprise.

Amy was coming upstairs. She stopped on the landing and called out to Beulah.

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ing, when she brought in a pretty blue and white Saxony bowl, "you have never told me your last name."

"It is Austruther," she said, with a sly little smile.

"Good heavens!" he cried. "What a fool I have been!"

"There! there!" she said. "You are spilling your broth."

"Do you know," he went on, "I once refused to be introduced to you? My aunt, Mrs. Stewart Stuyvesant—"

"Yes, I know!"

"She wanted me to marry you."

"How absurd—wasn't it?"

"Do you think so?" he asked anxiously. "I don't."

Amy blushed furiously.

"You are to be quiet you know," she said.

"I won't be quiet,—I can't. I lie here every day, looking at you with a longing that is eating my heart out. I want to know what you are going to do with me when you get me well!"

"Take you to the merry-go-round," said Amy, flippantly.

"Never!" he said, pushing away his broth. "Are you going to marry me? Because, if you aren't I may as well lay down and die now when it will be easy for me."

"You are not going to die now," she said, softly. He reached for her hand and drew her down.

"I love you," he whispered, looking full into her fair face. "Will you marry me, Amy?"

Her answer must have pleased him for his face shone radiantly, and when Charlotte came in a little later with a bouquet for Uncle Bert, he said proudly:

"See here, Puss! Come and kiss your new auntie!"

HE DIDN'T GET THE BETTER OF PAT.

"Some time ago I was trading in a village store," writes a correspondent, "when one of the clerks came to the junior partner, who chanced to be waiting on me, and said: 'Won't you please step to the desk a moment? Pat Flynn wants to settle his bill and insists on having a receipt.'"

"The merchant was evidently annoyed. 'Why, what does he want of a receipt?' he said; 'we never give one. Simply cross his account on the book; that is receipt enough.'"

"So I told him," answered the clerk, "but he is not satisfied. You had better see him!"

Then the proprietor stepped to the desk, and when greeting Pat with a "good morning" said "You wished to settle your bill, did you?" to which Pat replied in the affirmative.

"Well," said the merchant, "there is no need of giving you a receipt. I will cross your account, and if you wish, you may have the receipt for the goods you bought. But I will not give you a receipt for the bill you owe me."

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sion and necessary space, I will give your readers with a little more ground on the above subject.

I am prepared to say after thirty years experience, that horns on cattle, are a nuisance, and I will have none of them. In former articles on this subject I asserted that there was not one single good reason, their retention, but every reason being rid of them. I hold the same views yet, and it is steadily growing and being adopted by all considerate and reasonable stock handlers.

The cruelty consists in retaining horns for the injury, suffering damage they cause themselves, say nothing of the injury they do to other animals, as well as damage or loss to their owners, would, ought to be sufficient reasons for their removal.

The opponents to dehorning more properly dishorning make a very weak argument such as that nature gave them and for their wise purpose, and we should not interfere or change the laws of nature. Then was a cruel operation.

Any fair reasoner will at once see the nonsense of this argument, for, without the changing of laws of nature by two other methods, we would be in a sorry condition to day, and they are and longer recovering from the effects of said change, than cattle that have been dishorned.

In their wild state, horns are given them as a means of defense, which is entirely unnecessary in domestic state. Besides their cost and management was put on in the hands of mankind.

As an evidence that horns are a nuisance, I find quite a number of most prominent stockmen of my neighborhood, besides other people, are planning to have the horns removed this fall, and I have been invited by many of them to go on their cattle. So I have a one of Dr. W. H. Levitt's machine (that has a capacity of taking horns at the rate of one per hour or 600 per day.

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1. The first step is to identify the problem or question that needs to be answered. This involves understanding the context and the specific requirements of the task.

1. *Journal of the American Medical Association*, 1991; 266: 1033-1036.







# HOME NEWS

—We had a fine rain Tuesday night, the first for several weeks.

—Messrs. Q. W. Poage and A. P. Gay, of Edray were in town to day.

—Mr. R. R. Hannah, of Green Bank, was in town Tuesday night.

—Alexander McChesney and Miss Matilda Jordan, colored, of this place, were married to day.

—Rev. J. P. A. Lautenschlager will preach at Sunset, next Sunday at 3 o'clock.

—Bishop Peterkin, preached a very able sermon to a large audience, in the Presbyterian church Sunday night.

—Mr. E. D. McClintic, who has been visiting relatives in this County for several weeks, will start for his home in Seattle, Wash. next week.

—Messrs. Mollie and Gertie Smith and Jennie Bucher, of Dunmore, accompanied by Chas. E. Steuwer, Esq., called at our office one day last week.

**Millsboro Chips.**

Fred Heard and N. C. McNeil, spent Sunday in town.

Rev. D. S. Sydenstricker, assisted by S. L. Wilson, are holding an interesting meeting at this place.

Mr. F. A. Reutick, dehorned 200 cattle last week and will dehorn 108 more Tuesday.

Mrs. Preston Clark was called home by the serious illness of her father.

Mr. Tom Bartlett gave a cabbage pulling last Saturday night.

Norman Price, of Marlinton, enrolled as a pupil of the F. & M. Academy.

PHILLIS.

## Dunmore Dolags.

Rev. J. P. A. Lautenschlager will preach at Dunmore next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

John Hevener, Esq. and wife, have returned from a trip to Richmond, Va.

C. H. Hall and daughter are visiting here.

R. M. Dilley and brother have bought out R. L. Nottingham and will open up a store at Dilley's Mill.

S. P. Shanks has moved his saw mill to Wise Herald's.

Capt. C. B. Swecker, is building a new shop, and will be in it in a week or two.

Mrs. A. H. Moore is on the sick list again.

William Taylor who has been in the far west for 2 years is home again.

T. S.

## Removal of County Seat.

CLOVER LICK, Nov. 5th, 1891—**ED. TIMES:** Considering the question of removal of the County seat to Marlinton, it is pertinent to ask 1st. Have we to build a new C. H. soon.

2nd. If so, should it be at Marlinton.

3rd. What the cost.

I think when we consider our present needs, and the development of which we seem to be on the eve, there can be but one answer to the question of building, and in favor of the site at Marlinton it can be said that it is nearer the present and prospective centre of the population, and is especially convenient to the two districts which pay tax (without individual distinction) on 125,000 dollars more property than the balance of the County, and in answer to E. W., I will say that it is the people of these two districts who are especially moving in this matter.

It will be remembered that several years ago a petition for removal was gotten up before there was any talk of R. R.'s, and would have been submitted but for a technical in formality.

With regard to cost, I do not conceive there will be any great difference in the cost wherever built, and if it is conceded that we have to build soon, the money would have to be provided any way. But when we consider the offer of 5000 dollars the scales are at once turned in favor of Marlinton.

This County pays tax on 1,800,000 dollars, and with the new assessment it is expected that the wild lands, held especially by non-residents (foreigners, if you will) will be increased in price. Making the aggregate property more, the excess falling on non-residents. It will be seen at once that a tax of about 70 cents on the hundred dollars will raise the amount specified by the commissioners, viz: 15,000 dollars, which the citizens will have to pay. And right here I will say that they can be prevented by legal means if thought best, from laying any greater tax. And this tax may not be all laid in any one year. So every voter can see at once, for how much he will be taxed to keep the county abreast of the progress that is going on around us.

E. W. reminds us to act with "sense and soberness," and straightway proceeds to appeal to passion and prejudice and bring matters which have no bearing on the question.

If to benefit ourselves we thereby benefit others (even "foreigners") what left but prejudice would prevent. And in adding the cost of the bridge that was and the bridge that is, to our losses is he not begging the question, establishing a precedent for constructive arguments that might return to him. Are we to build ourselves into the future generations of the county to be paid in the tax on property that is to be paid by the county?

It is not expected or desired that the county should be divided into two parts, and that the people of one part should be taxed to build a bridge to the other part, and that the people of the other part should be taxed to build a bridge to the first part.

The county is a whole, and the people of the county are one people. The county is not divided into two parts, and the people of one part are not to be taxed to build a bridge to the other part, and the people of the other part are not to be taxed to build a bridge to the first part.

## WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our regular correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 6th—The justification of jubilant democrats is giving this town almost as rosy a hue as it had a year ago, when the returns came in from the Congressional elections, and "Well, yes; three out of four will do very well," has become a sort of democratic centerpiece. It refers, of course, to the election of three democratic governors out of the four states in which governors were elected. By every train brings prominent democrats, and one and all they are of the same opinion—that by this time next year a democratic President will have been elected. Representative Mills said: "In Massachusetts it was a square fight, a contest over a principle, and the doctrine of the democracy was endorsed by the people who believe that our party is the exponent of sound ideas and the correct theories of government. There is nothing in Ohio to cause discouragement, though I confess that I believed that Campbell would be re-elected. Still Ohio is a republican state. A democratic victory in a State like Iowa is something to be proud of. Flower's triumph in New York is a grand one, but it is best not to be too sanguine over carrying that state next year. It is always uncomfortably close, and doubtful in Presidential years. Yet on a square test I am confident that democracy is stronger in that State than republicanism. Yet we must overlook no precaution to insure victory in 1892. We must in the scriptural phrase, be as wise as serpents and harmless as doves. If we obey this injunction we ought to win not only in New York next year, but throughout the nation." Mr. Mills has opened headquarters in one of the uptown hotels for the Spunkership campaign, and the other candidates will follow suit in a few days, as there is but little more than three weeks left for them to work.

It has leaked out through the gossip of those high up in official society, that Mr. and Mrs. Blaine are making no social engagements of any kind, more than four or five weeks ahead. The reason for this is that they will, in case of the Secretary's health shows the slightest sign of breaking down, immediately leave for a warmer climate, where they will spend the winter. Should Mr. Blaine's health or his inclination lead him to leave Washington again for an indefinite period, it is not believed that he would retain the State portfolio. Indeed this plea of bad health may be made his excuse for leaving the cabinet in order that he may become through his friends, an open candidate for the Presidential nomination of his party, as many believe he is certain to do inside of six months. The election of McKinley as governor of Ohio has brought a disturbing element into the calculations of both Blaine and Harrison. They know that if McKinley is disposed to be a candidate, and there are good reasons for believing he is, that he will go into the convention with a strong following. Of course press and public will be brought to bear on McKinley to have him stay in Ohio, but he may think that it is better to go to the convention and fight for the nomination than to stay in Ohio and be a spectator.

The President continues to be popular, and the country is in a state of jubilation. The democratic party is expected to win the next Presidential election.

cast over the news from there. All in all the result of the elections is a great democratic victory which means success next year. It means that we shall have New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and Massachusetts in the east, and I should not be surprised if we carry Rhode Island and New Hampshire. Tariff reform is continually making democratic votes in the eastern republican strongholds. I see no cloud upon the democratic horizon. We could not have hoped for a brighter sky. It would have been almost a miracle had we carried Ohio, and the days of miracles are past."

The decision of the U. S. District Court of California that the shipment of arms on the *Itata* was a perfectly proper commercial transaction, and that this Government had no right to interfere was very unpalatable to the administration, and the Attorney General has directed that an appeal be taken.

Mr. Harrison is quite modest. He says that if the republicans in New York had stuck to national issues Fessett might have been elected. Secretary Tracy says he was defeated by the republicans who stayed at home, but it looks very much to most people, as if he was defeated by the democrats who voted against him.

## Preaching Notice.

Sacramental meeting at Marlin's Bottom church, 3rd Sabbath of Nov. Preparatory services on Saturday before at 11 o'clock.

The assistance of Rev. Mr. Wilson the Synodical Evangelist, is expected to fulfill a promise of several months standing to Edray friends. Mr. Wilson will preach at Edray on Sunday night Nov. 15th and continue several evenings the week following.

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## Order of Publication.

At rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, on the first Monday in November, 1891.

W. C. Stuart

vs.  
C. C. Hansel & others.

The object of this suit is to subject to the payment of \$576.73 with interest thereon from August 10th, 1891, due to the plaintiff W. C. Stuart, from the defendants, C. C. Hansel, H. M. Lockridge and Hugh Adams, the real estate belonging to said H. M. Lockridge and Hugh Adams severally, lying in Pocahontas County, in the State of West Virginia, which has been levied on under order of attachment issued in this suit, and it appearing by affidavit filed, that the defendants, C. C. Hansel, H. M. Lockridge and Hugh Adams are non residents of the State of West Virginia. It is ordered, that they do appear here within one month after the first publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Witness: J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the said Court this 2nd day of November, 1891.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.  
L. M. McClintic, p. q.  
Nov. 5th. Printer's fee \$7.35.

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State of West Virginia, Pocahontas County to wit: At rules held in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, on the first Monday in November, 1891.

W. C. Stuart

vs.  
Hugh Adams & al

The object of this suit is to subject to the payment of \$716.67 with interest thereon from the 25th day of September, 1890, due to the plaintiff, W. C. Stuart, from the defendants Hugh Adams and H. M. Lockridge, the real estate belonging to said defendants severally, lying in Pocahontas County in the State of West Virginia, which has been levied on under order of attachment issued in this suit, and it appearing by affidavit filed that the defendants Hugh Adams and H. M. Lockridge are non residents of the State of West Virginia. It is ordered that they do appear here within one month after the first publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Witness: J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the said Court this 2nd day of November, 1891.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.  
L. M. McClintic p. q.  
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C. E. Ward.  
S. H. Hannah.  
G. M. Kee.  
Geo. Barker.

**Circuit Court convenes on the first Tuesday in April, 3rd Tuesday in June and 3rd Tuesday in October.**  
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## THE PLEDGE PURSE.

BY EMMA GARRISON JONES.

"George, dear," said Mrs. Prescott, looking up from her basket of mending, as she and her husband sat by their fireside one winter night, "has it ever occurred to you that it is time our boys were signing the pledge?"

Mr. Prescott tossed aside his paper with a laugh.

"There you go, my dear, and really I expected it. The wonder is you haven't caught the fever sooner."

"What fever, George?"

"Why, this temperance fever that seems to be blazing everybody just now. The town's full of it; every second man I meet wears a gray rosette in his button-hole, and every church is converted into a temperance hall; but the thing won't last—such spasmodic movements never do."

His wife's bright eyes grew wistful and a cloud crossed her pretty, fresh face. She was a happy little woman, the mother of three promising boys, and always busy and full of plans for the comfort of her family.

"It is a good movement, George," she continued. "I trust it will be more lasting than you think, and it won't," she added, with spirit, "if the known men of the town, the strong, reliable men like yourself, George, would take hold of it."

Much obliged for the compliment, my love," laughed her husband, "but I don't think I'm in any danger of becoming a drunkard."

"Nor do I, George, but you are not a temperance man, and there's always danger of having ought to do with sin."

"Why, Lizzie, how much in earnest you seem. You've caught the fever without a doubt. You always had a weakness for running after fashions. But, really, child, I'm in no danger. I'm not a total abstinent man, I'll admit; ever since I can remember I've had my drink or two a day, but I never was intoxicated in my life, and never expect to be."

"I trust not, George, but you have sons, and there's no telling into what errors your example may lead them."

"Why, Lizzie, do you mean to say I set my boys a bad example?"

"No, George, there never was a better husband and father than you, but you teach your boys to drink intoxicating liquors. We have given up that, of course, gradually, and don't even mention the name of the thing now."

And you have also changed the language that then, and around it, was common."

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George. He is his father's own son, my handsome Larry, and it would break my heart to see him do wrong.

"It's jollier to drink your social glass, and have your hot toddy when you feel dull," he replied. "My father thinks the pledge a humbug, and so do I."

"Did Larry say that?" asked Mr. Prescott.

"Those are the words, George, and they cut me to the heart. Now, husband, you have never denied me anything since the day you made me your happy wife—don't deny me this. Let us banish all sorts of intoxicating drinks from our house, and do take your boys by the hand and make them sign the pledge. As their father does they will do willingly." And the little woman put by her sewing, and crossed to her husband's chair took his head in both her hands and laid her cheek against his face. "Now, George, dear, surely you'll not say no to me for the first time will you?"

There was silence for a minute, and then the husband drew the pretty face down and kissed it.

"I couldn't say no, Lizzie, if I wanted," he said. "No man could with such a witch as you are."

On the following day Mr. Prescott and his three sons signed the pledge, and the boys took great pride in their gray badges.

Intoxicating drinks were banished from their home, and no one seemed to be one whit the worse for it. If the boys had a cold their mother administered hot molasses tea, and she found the remedy even more efficient than the toddies used to be. The boys seemed more speedily relieved, and had fewer attacks.

Three years went by. Times were hard and money scarce, and Mr. Prescott's business was dull. To make matters worse he had a long spell of sickness, and a heavy doctor's bill.

"I can't see my way out of it," he remarked sitting in his arm-chair one evening, pale face seamed with lines of care, "the building association stock will have to go, and I do hate that tremendously."

"What is it, George, dear? May be I can help you."

The sick man smiled at the little wife, ever so ready with her help.

"No, dear, you can't help me in this; I wish you could," he said. "It is a note, which must be paid before the tenth."

"And to-day is the eighth. What is the amount, George?"

"Three hundred and fifty dollars, and I have not fifty to spare. If it hadn't been for this confounded fever—"

"Hush, my love. Wait till I bring my pledge purse," and his wife darted from the room.

In two minutes she was back, a tiny purse in her hand.

"Here is my pledge purse, George."

"You call this a purse? What do you call it?"

"It is a tiny little purse, George, but it will hold the money."

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may be enough to pay that trouble-some note.

Larry obeyed with alacrity, his father looking on with eager eyes as he assorted the dollar notes and piled up the quarters and dimes. When all was told the amount was four hundred and sixty-five dollars.

Mr. Prescott looked at his wife, and his eyes filled with tears.

"Why, Lizzie—why, little wife, what can I say?" he began.

She caught his head to her bosom.

"Say nothing, George. I kept my purse for an hour of need, and that hour has come. Pay the note that troubles you, dear, and then get well and strong at your leisure."

Her husband was silent, but the three boys leaped to their feet, and shouted, "Hurrah for the pledge!" until the room rang.

## DIRECTIONS NOT EXPLICIT ENOUGH.

"Well, my boy," said the old gentleman, "I understand you've been fighting."

"I was in something of a scrape," replied the youth.

"Well I suppose boys will fight, and there's no use trying to stop it. You don't look much the worse for it."

"Got off pretty light, sure," said the boy.

"Kick the other fellow?"

"Well hardly."

"I'm, that's bad. Did you follow your old father's advice?"

"Yes, sir."

"You struck the first blow?"

"Yes, sir."

"And hit him hard?"

"As hard as I could."

"Knock him down?"

"Knocked him flat."

"And that didn't end the fight?"

"Well I should say not."

The old gentleman looked puzzled.

"That's funny," he said. "I never knew it to fall when I was a boy."

"Maybe, when you were a boy, the other fellow didn't fall on a brick pile and get up with a half brick in his hand and chase you a mile. That'll knock most any kind of a system silly."

## TESTIMONY THAT PERPLEXED A LAWYER.

A case was being tried in a country court. A horse had been stolen from a pasture, and the evidence all pointed to a certain doubtful character of the neighborhood as the culprit. Though his guilt seemed clear, he had found a lawyer to undertake his defense.

At the trial the defendant's attorney expended his energy in trying to confuse and frighten the opposing witnesses, especially a certain farmer whose testimony was particularly damaging. The lawyer kept him in a fire of questions, asking many foolish ones, and repeating them over and over again.

"You say," the lawyer went on, "that you can swear to having seen this man drive a horse past your place on the day in question?"

"I can't say," the farmer replied, "but I can swear to having seen him drive a horse past my place on the day in question."

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always carry a gold watch with me when I'm digging potatoes."

"But you have a clock in the house haven't you?"

"Yes."

"Well, what time was it by that?"

"Why, by that clock it was just nineteen minutes past 10."

"You were in the field all the morning?" went on the lawyer, smiling suggestively.

"I was."

"How far from the house is this field?"

"About half a mile."

"You swear, do you, that by the clock in your house it was exactly nineteen minutes past 10?"

"I do."

The lawyer paused and looked triumphantly at the jury at last he had entrapped the witness into a contradictory statement that would greatly weaken his testimony. "I think that will do," he said, with a wave of his hand, "I am quite through with you."

The farmer leisurely picked up his hat and started to leave the witness stand; then turning slowly about, he added:

"I ought perhaps to say that too much reliance should not be placed upon that clock, as it got out of gear about 6 months ago, and it's been nineteen minutes past 10 ever since."

A New Brunswick lady owns a parrot. A new pastor has recently been established over the lady's church, and a few days ago he went to make his first pastoral visit. The front door was open, but the Venetian blind door was closed, and Poll was in the cage just behind it. As the pastor reached for the electric button Poll said in a remonstrant tone:

"Go away, please."

"But I wish to see the lady of the house."

"Go away, please. We haven't a cold bite in the house."

"You are mistaken. I am not a tramp. I wish to see the lady of the house on business."

"Go away!" screamed Poll wrathfully. "Go away, you dirty tramp! I'll call the police. Police! police!"

This was too much for the modest minister, and in considerable wonderment he abandoned his call.

First dude—I'm going to Washington to-morrow.

Second Dude—What train are you going to take?

First Dude—I am going to take the early train that leaves at 7 o'clock in the morning, don't you know?

Second Dude—I'd like to see you off, old chappie, but that's too early, yer know. All sensible people are in bed by 7 in the morning, yer see.

Mother—What in the world has become of the other half of that cake I cut for supper?

Little Dick—You gave it to me.

Mother—You asked me if you could have a piece of cake and I gave you a piece of cake.

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Huntersville, W. Va.  
December 3, 1891.

Drunkness is unknown in Rio Janeiro, Brazil, with its population 500,000.

The number of workingwomen in Europe is about 20,500,000; in the United States about 1,500,000.

A new factory just erected at New Haven at a cost of \$15,000, was blown down by Monday's storm, and all have to be built anew.

The striking miners in the Marquette company's mines at Raymond City, Ill. have to vacate the company's houses under a decision of the United States Court at Charleston. The places of the strikers have been filled by non-union men, and the mines are running full time.

Representative Hyman, since his withdrawal, has been working hard for Mills, whose friends now claim 90 votes. Mr. Crisp's managers say he has 114 votes, but others say that he has not over 85. The other candidates give no figures. Only ten days left to settle.

Wolves killed three children of Andrew Gulick last Tuesday at the iron rolling mills near New Brighton, Minn., ten miles north of St. Paul. During the great fire in Pine county in September great drives were driven south into Ramsey and Anoka counties. The Gulick children wandered from home into the woods at noon and were attacked and devoured by the beasts.

At Salem, Va., Charles Watkins, colored, was sentenced to be hung January 8 for the murder of his wife.

This murderousascal got a white wife in the west, and then he killed his colored wife. He removed to Roanoke county with his wife, and when his colored wife followed him there, he murdered her.

Peter Jackson, the well-known pugilist, has received a telegram from London announcing that the National Club of that city had agreed to allow him \$750 for expenses if he would come to London and fight Frank Slavin for a purse of \$10,000, which they offered. Slavin has agreed to the match, and, as Jackson's terms have all been agreed to, he has practically done so. The fight will take place in June.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our regular correspondent.  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 27th.

and refrigerator in his over produce. Mr. Harrison was offended, and he took special care to impress that fact upon the committee. But the committee did not seem to care much, for as its members left the White House on their way over to the State department one of them remarked loud enough to be heard by all, "who is that man, Harrison, anyway?" Mr. Blaine received the committee in his most cordial manner, and made himself so pleasant that they remained in his office nearly an hour and when they left they nearly paralyzed the staid and dignified employees of the State department by giving three cheers and a tiger for Blaine.

Maj. McKinley also has the Blaine fever. He took advantage of his stay in this city this week to call on Mr. Blaine and to let him understand that he was willing to take the second place on the ticket with him but with nobody else. Mr. Blaine is said to have been very demonstrative at this meeting with McKinley, in the way of placing his arm around his shoulder, etc., but he took particular care not to commit himself in favor of McKinley for an associate on the ticket. This sort of thing can have but one ending—Mr. Blaine must retire from the Cabinet, unless Mr. Harrison will withdraw his claims for a re-nomination. A bet was made last night in a prominent hotel that Mr. Blaine would resign before Jan. 10.

\$100,000 is big money to pay for a political convention, but that is said to represent the price paid by Minneapolis for the advertising she will get out of the holding of the republican National Convention, there next June, and that amount, which is to be paid to Rosa Clarkson's committee, does not include the price paid for the votes of two committeemen and the incidental expenses of the delegation here.

Much interest is already expressed in the meeting of the Democratic National Executive Committee, which will be held here December 8, to fix the time for the meeting of the full committee to select the time and place for holding the next National Convention. Washington, Cincinnati, Baltimore, Minneapolis, New York and Detroit are already in the field.

The first applicant for a loan under the Farmers' Alliance sub-treasury scheme made his appearance at the Treasury Department this week. He was from Hartford Co. Maryland, and was not very positive what he wanted, further than that he wanted as much money as the \$18 cash, which he said he had, would pay the interest on, and he told the clerk in the Fourth Auditor's office, to whom the application was made, that his farm would be security for the principal of the loan. He was very much disappointed when told that Uncle Sam was at present himself a borrower instead of a lender.

If the statements made by California and New York republicans National Committee of that party be accepted, and there are good reasons for believing that they stated the situation just as it appeared to them, there is little chance for the electoral votes of either of those States being cast for the republican nominee next year. And according to the same source of information

great agricultural section, is slowly but surely adopting democratic ideas on the tariff, is as certain as that the sun rises in the east and sets in the west, and if there is no mistake made by the party leaders a majority of the States in that section will become, in time, as reliably democratic as Texas.

A man who has practiced medicine for 40 years, ought to know salt from sugar, read what he says.

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W. C. Stuart  
vs.  
C. C. Hansel & others.

The object of this suit is to subject to the payment of \$576.73 with interest thereon from August 10th, 1891, due to the plaintiff W. C. Stuart, from the defendants, C. C. Hansel, H. M. Lockridge and Hugh Adams, the real estate belonging to said H. M. Lockridge and Hugh Adams severally, lying in Pocahontas County, in the State of West Virginia, which has been levied on under order of attachment issued in this suit, and it appearing by affidavit filed, that the defendants, C. C. Hansel, H. M. Lockridge and Hugh Adams are non residents of the State of West Virginia. It is ordered, that they do appear here within one month after the first publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Witness: J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the said Court this 2nd day of November, 1891.  
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RELOCATION QUESTION AT LAST SETTLED.

The question as to where our Court House shall be located, is at last finally settled by the people.

As the result shows that the will of over three-fifths of our people is that Marlinton shall have the Court House, it becomes an act of citizenship to bow with deference before the will of the people thus emphatically expressed.

In discussing the issues, through our columns, we have endeavored to be conservative, but we admit that it was with regret that we realized that the County Seat must seek a more central and convenient location to conform to the wish of the large majority of the citizens of our County as the vote shows that the desire for a change of location was general throughout the County.

The returns show that the voters were about all at the polls. The result was not occasioned by local prejudice or factional bitterness. The election was a fair, open, honest expression of the will of the voters. Now, let us lay aside all feeling except good-will, and let each and every one do all he can, by word and deed, to make our county seat what has been so appropriately styled, "the people's town"—the principal town of our County.

Our County Court will be convened on next Saturday, Dec. 12th, to declare the result, and we will then have this question finally settled, and leaving old ruts we start on the highway to general prosperity.

As soon as we can make necessary arrangements, we will move our paper to the new city and enlarge it to an 8 col. folio or twice the size it is now, and we trust that the liberal aid of our people, which has heretofore been so generously extended to us, will still be ours, and not ours only, but will be extended to the home of our adoption.

High Tariff Does not Hurt the Rich.

There is one significant and instructive paragraph in the Associated Press synopsis of opinions called from Paris of the effect of the McKinley bill on our trade with France. A Mr. Vanbergen, "who annually exports to the United States textile goods to the value of \$5,000,000 francs," is quoted as saying: "The new tariff has not greatly injured our trade in high-class goods. Our business in cheaper goods has diminished considerably." In other words, as the Sun and tariff reformers generally have insisted, it is the people of moderate means, or the actually poor, neither of whom can afford to pay fancy prices, who are injuriously affected by an unduly high tariff. Being unable to pay, they go without or buy an inferior article produced at a lower price in this country. In either case, they are made to bear the whole weight of the tariff iniquity. The rich, on the other hand, are not affected.

will tax upon them. They may object to being asked for the benefit of tariff reformers, but they do not suffer as the poor. The whole tariff system in this country is aimed with fatal directness at the great mass of consumers, with the practical result of making the burdens of poverty, the privations of small income much greater than they need be.—Baltimore Sun.

Here is a list of names which have been mentioned as the nominees of the Democratic party for President and Vice President:—Cleveland and Hoies, Russell and Hoies, Hoies and Russell, Hill and Hoies, Cleveland and Campbell, Hill and Campbell, Gorman and Campbell, Gorman and Hoies, Russell and Gray, Flower and Campbell, Flower and Gray, Hill and Gray, Cleveland and Gray, Flower and Vorhees.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our regular correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 4th.—The very spirited contest for the Speakership of the House of Representatives will close with the selection of one of the candidates by the democratic caucus which will be held tomorrow, but it will be years before it is forgotten. There have been many things to cause it to be remembered, not the least of which is the large number of candidates that will remain in the field up to the last—this is of itself highly creditable to the democratic party as an organization, as it is a party that does not tolerate bossism, but gives every man in its ranks an equal right to aspire to any honor within its gift. Another thing about it that will not soon be forgotten is the action of the republicans in trying by misrepresenting innocent remarks made by democrats, and in many instances by the outright manufacture of statements to create a feeling of antagonism between the friends of the several candidates—they succeeded but too well in some instances.

Whoever is selected for Speaker, the attempt will be made in certain quarters to make it appear that the selection makes certain the nomination for President next year of some one of the gentleman who have been prominently named for that honor. That is another republican scheme. There is not the slightest thing to base such a conclusion upon, no matter which of the candidates for Speaker may win. There are, to your correspondent's certain knowledge, men in the ranks of the supporters of each of the candidates who favor Mr. Cleveland, Governor Hill, Governor Gray, Senator Gorman and Governor Hoies, so you see what nonsense it is to say that the success of any one of the candidates for Speakership will have any direct effect upon the nomination for President next year. Just as members of Congress have differed in their opinions of the best man for speaker, so will they differ when it comes to selecting a candidate for President. The National democratic convention, and not the House of Representatives, will name the presidential nominee of the party, republican busybodies to the contrary notwithstanding.

Representative Cooper, of Indiana, who originated the Raum investigation in the last Congress says that if Mr. Harrison persists in keeping Raum at the head of the Pension office he will move for another investigation. Mr. Cooper has secured a large addition to the stock of ammunition which the packed committee of the last Congress refused to allow him to use, and if Raum does not vacate the Pension office he will see to it that the next investigation does not end with a coat of whitewash.

It is stated here, but denied, that Secretary Foster's health is in a precarious condition. While denying that he is seriously sick, his

takes on his way. Mr. Harrison's friends in the republican party have been anxious to expecting this week that often announced statement from Mr. Blaine that he would not be the candidate of his party, it having been stated here the other day by ex-Senator Saunders, of Nebraska, whose daughter is Russell's wife, that Mr. Blaine would shortly take the public into his confidence; but alas, for the Harrison crowd, it seems to be only another false alarm, as Mr. Blaine says not a word, but continues to smile when visiting republicans tell him that they propose nominating him next year.

Attorney General Miller is not an admirer of the newspapers, probably because they have refused to class him as high as his own conceit tells him he should go; therefore it caused no surprise when he tried to cast a slur upon the press, while the argument in the cases against the constitutionality of the McKinley tariff law was proceeding before the Supreme Court. It came about this way. Mr. Stephen G. Clark, of New York, while arguing that the omission of the tobacco rebate clause in the bill as signed by the President invalidated the whole bill, produced a book kept in the Clerk's office showing the record of bills passed by the House, to show that the clause was omitted. In reply to the Attorney General's question, Mr. Clark said he was not advised as to whether there was any law for the keeping of the book. "If there is no such law," said the Attorney General with a sneer, "the book has no more weight than a newspaper publication."

Commissioner Roosevelt is back. He declines to discuss the story that Mr. Wanamaker is after his scalp, further than to say that he stands by everything he has ever said, which is equivalent to repeating his charge against the truthfulness of Mr. W.

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## HOME NEWS.

The election at this place passed off moderately quiet.

A special term of the County Court will convene next Saturday.

Mr. Peter D. Yeager, of Travelers Repose, is in the city.

Mr. J. W. Telford, of Philadelphia, was in Huntersville Tuesday.

Mr. J. H. Patterson has returned from a visit to his family at Green Bank.

Mess. Henry Barlow and J. K. Gray, of Maryland, were in Huntersville today.

The largest vote that was ever cast at this place was cast Tuesday.

C. A. Lightner, Esq., of Green Bank and Mr. J. K. Taylor, of Blum more called in our office today.

Bliss Taylor, an old colored man who hanged himself in the jail at this place last Thursday morning.

Mess. K. H. Moore and W. W. Harrel, of Academy were in town today.

Capt. J. W. Marshall, of Marlinton has been in town for a couple of days.

Col. Jno. T. McGraw, Mess. Levi Gay and Charley Callison, of Marlinton were in town today.

Monday evening a colored boy was lodged in jail at this place for stealing \$3.00 from Jacob L. Arbogast at Green Bank.

Mr. H. A. Yeager, called to see us tonight (Wednesday) and reports that the election in the Green Bank district passed off quietly.

There were so many persons in town on election day, that it is impossible for us to mention them all so we will not be partial.

Rev. J. A. Lautenschlager will preach at this place Sunday the 27th inst.

A train load of convicts passed through Corington on Tuesday morning on their way to the Hot Springs to labor on the company's works between that place and the Warm Springs.—Alleghany Sentinel.

Attorneys C. F. Moore against C. H. removal and H. B. Bucker for removal made very able speeches in the court house Monday, and considering the very rough day there was a good turn-out.

In the Virginia penitentiary there are 240 white men, 726 colored men, 2 white women and 95 colored women, and there were 167 male convicts working outside, making a total of 1,199. The convicts did \$17,170.18 worth of work on railroads during the year.

Hon. B. B. Elkins has donated ten acres of ground and \$20,000 in money towards the founding of a Baptist seminary in the town which bears his name. He says that he can easily raise that much more if necessary to complete it.

About a week ago we sent our agent Mr. J. H. Clark, our subscription accounts at the Academy post office, for collection, and Tuesday we received the respective amounts and a years subscription in advance with scarcely an exception, for which we return our sincere thanks, both to our patrons and Mr. Clark for his kind services. We hope ere long gentlemen to give you a newspaper worthy your support.

ISAIAH CARPENTER, of Preston county, claims to be one hundred and forty nine years of age. His family record shows that he was born in Loudoun county, Virginia, 1742. He was well acquainted with Washington, Boone, Kenton and other early settlers, and was a member in General Braddock's army. His eldest son, who died fifteen years since, was one hundred years old at the time of his death, and he has a daughter, now residing in Maine, eighty years old. Mr. Carpenter's memory is good, and he can recall many of the events of the early settlement of this country.

L. M. McLaughlin, a man employed by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, was killed about three miles from Millboro on Monday. He had started on a trip to Pocahontas county in a small phonon.—A team with a carriage that was hitched at Millboro Springs, became frightened just after Mr. McLaughlin passed. They broke loose and dashed down the road in the same direction, and came in contact with him. The pole of the carriage struck him in the head, killing him instantly. He leaves a wife and large family to mourn their loss.—Alleghany Sentinel.

### A Trip to Edray

The Hillsboro Cornet Band having received an invitation to attend the public speaking at Edray, Dec. 1st, early that morning twelve of the boys were snugly packed in a new wagon behind four spirited steeds with the reins in the hands of an expert driver. So away we went at the rate of about eight miles an hour. The boys all seemed in good tune, and quite a jolly crowd we were. But alas, ere we had made 5 miles of the trip one of our boys realized to his sorrow that it disfigured a brass horn to come in contact with a wagon wheel. So the boy began to retrace his steps toward the parental roof, where no doubt he expected to find some comfort, and be able to repair damages, judging from the manner in which he spoke of the "old family rolling pin." But a sympathizing friend gave him a word of cheer and comfort which changed his mind, and he resumed the trip with renewed energy and pleasant anticipations for us all.

Marlinton being the prominent point on the route, we reached there in good time, and found the people very enthusiastic over that booming city. The band was asked to play a piece, which they did. But we thought we could tell by the countenance of a very worthy Divine in the crowd (who is a good judge of music) that there might have been a discordant sound made. Leaving Marlinton we arrived at Edray at 12 o'clock, where we were taken in hand by our much esteemed friend Rev. G. P. Moore who took us directly to his house, where we were all made to feel at home. In a few minutes we were invited to the dining room, where we beheld a table groaning under its load of substantial and delicacies, so pleasing to the appetites of all present.

After dinner we began to circulate among the people, and found them from all parts of the county.

The good people impressed us with that determination that they are going to keep abreast with this progressive age. And those Marlintonians are all men of push and enterprise, and men that Pocahontas County should feel proud of.

We had the pleasure of meeting a goodly number from our present capitol. They have warm places in our hearts, and we certainly admire the spirit in which they cherish the good judgment of our forefathers, and the vigorous fight they are making to perpetuate it.

The time having arrived for us to return home, there was a collection taken for the benefit of the band. The public collection with private subscriptions amounted to no paltry sum to the band, and to assure you of that fact, we received as much as five and ten dollars, from single individuals. And now we return our most heartfelt thanks to every contributor to our relief, and also to the people generally for the kindness shown us in every way. We close hoping to have the pleasure of meeting you all again, and be better prepared to entertain you with our music.

### ONE OF THE BOYS.

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FROST	21	48
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SPLIT ROCK	88	0
ACADEMY	380	25
TRAVELER'S REPOSE	30	34
GREEN BANK	12	210
DUNMORE	18	36
Total vote cast	940	475

"I am compelled to announce, brethren," observed the minister, taking off his glasses and wiping them, "that our regular Wednesday night prayer meeting will not be held this week. I shall be on hand, of course, but the janitor will be unavoidably absent that evening, and it takes two to make a prayer meeting. We will sing the doxology and be dismissed.

In a "Life of Lincoln," the biographer says that on a certain occasion an intimate friend of the President asked him the extent of his bank account. Mr. Lincoln replied: "I have exactly \$10,000." "Ten Thousand dollars?" repeated the friend in amazement, "how on earth did you make it?" To which Lincoln answered: "I made \$5,000 by running my own business, and \$5,000 more by letting other people's business alone." There is a piquant moral to this story, and as the average individual is not rocking in the wealth of Croesus, let him or her follow the example of the illustrious president, if for no other reason than improving their respective bank accounts."

### A Novel Railroad Case.

W. A. Richerson, who keeps a grocery store at Boena Vista, and his clerk, L. J. Campbell, have been arrested on a somewhat novel charge.

Some days ago the passenger train on the Norfolk and Western Railroad ran into and killed a bull belonging to Richerson near the Beuna Vista Junction. Richerson put in a claim for damages, but the Norfolk and Western authorities, thinking the case somewhat suspicious, sent Detective Farly there to investigate it. Early claims to have obtained a confession from Campbell to the effect that acting under Richerson's directions, he had tied the bull on the track for the purpose of having it killed in order to get damages. At a preliminary hearing both men were sent to jail to await their trial.

There were 7,004,460 letters received at the dead letter office during the past fiscal year.

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By virtue of a Trust Deed made the 25th day of August 1886 by E. B. Skiles and Annie B. Skiles and James R. Apperson to R. W. Baldwin, Trustee, and in pursuance of an order of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County (West Virginia), made on the 20th day of October 1891 "in the matter of R. W. Baldwin, Trustee," appointing the undersigned as Trustee to execute the provisions of said Trust Deed instead of said R. W. Baldwin, former trustee who is dead, and Richard Baldwin the beneficiary in said Trust Deed, having so requested, I, the undersigned acting as trustee under authority above stated, shall, on

MONDAY, 29th DECEMBER 1891, proceed to sell to the highest bidder at public auction in front of the Court House of Pocahontas County, at Huntersville, W. Va., for

CASH two adjoining parcels of land of 4 acres each, with the hotel building and other buildings thereon being the ONE ACRE of ground at MARLINTON in said County formerly owned and used as a Hotel property by said James R. Apperson and later by said Annie B. Skiles, and which is more fully described in said deed of Trust recorded in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of said Pocahontas County at page 403 and following pages of Deed Book No. 17.

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## THE RACY DAYS IN OILDOM.

DANIELING WITH HIGH FOR ON OBVIOUS STAKES.

An Oil City, Pa., correspondent, writing about the racy days in the oil regions many years ago, when the greasy fluid poured for him a into the operators' pockets, has the following interesting sketch of a noted oil man and dice gambler.

In 1863-69 the vicinity of Petroleum Center was the richest in the oil region and one of the richest in the world. The lands all about the town were making their owners rich. Among these pieces of property was the Woods farm, lying up on the hill to the west of the place. Its big production at that time was selling at from \$3 to \$5 a barrel.

Samuel A. Woods was the owner of this rich deposit of oil, and his royalty from it yielded him a princely income. He was then about 35 years of age, and was full of fun as he was of business. He dressed well, wearing daily diamonds worth from \$5,000 to \$80,000, lived high, and was foremost in all the enterprises in the development. In 1863 he built the largest and first complete oil house in the region.

Woods had a noted fondness for throwing dice and was usually lucky. He was ready at any time to throw for stakes ranging from \$50 to \$100 or \$1,000. It was seldom he would throw for less than the first named sum. One night in the winter of 1865-69 he was spending the evening with a party of friends in the Rochester house at Petroleum Center. Among the party was Col. Brady, another rich producer, and a man who had earned his title on the battlefield.

The first throw Brady won, coming to do so until he had won of Wood's money. This threw the gambler's appetite, and he threw again and again, and increased from time to time, and Woods' losses rapidly crept into the thousands.

At last, all they

Woods therefore saved a good sized fortune on the throw, for had he lost he would have been ruined with as much promptness as though it had been a part of a legitimate business transaction.

Woods then proposed that they start anew with \$10 as the amount of the stakes. The colonel responded, and soon all the cash he had with him—about \$200—was tossed round to the pocket of Woods. Said Woods, "Here, Colonel, is \$20. I can't see a man go away dead broke." And so the greatest game of dice on record in the oil regions came to a close.

Petroleum Center has gradually fallen to decay, until but a few scattered buildings are all that is left of what was once a flourishing oil town of 5,000 inhabitants.

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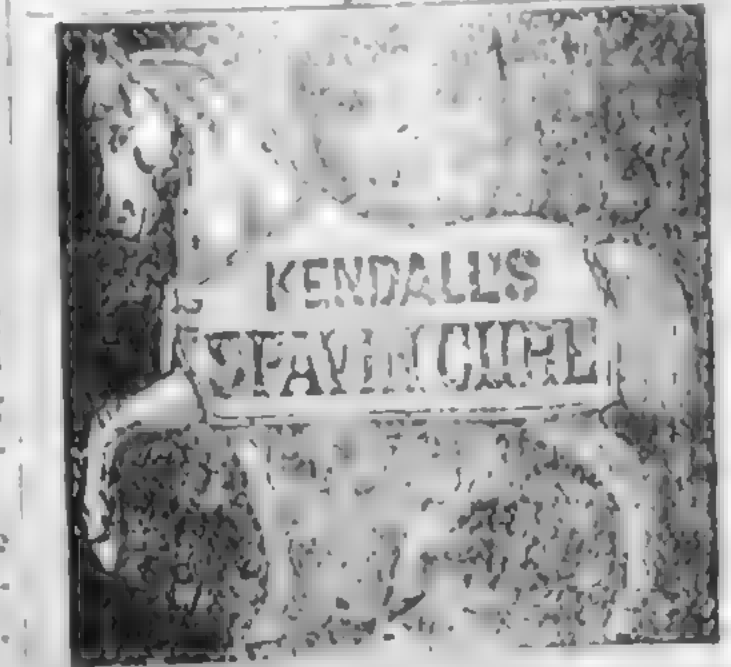
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## From The Times. Jim Castleberry.

Jim Castleberry was a remarkable unlucky man. All his life he had been victimized by people for things that never were to be realized. He was tall and lank, but a disposition to tell the truth prevented us from saying that there was not an ounce of superfluous flesh about him, for, alas! he had shown all his life that he was a superfluous creature; probably there was not an ounce of him that was not superfluous. Someway or other his sandy hair, his freckled face and sore eyes did not invite faith in him as a reliable character.

A great many are born to be twenty minutes too late to do a good thing or say a wise one, but Jim was very often too "previous," as for instance when he went one morning several hours before the family were up to a neighbors chicken house to levy on the contents, having worked himself up to the belief that contribution was due him from this particular man because he had hired him to help cut hay, and had discharged him when he found him asleep one long afternoon in the shade, never taking in to consideration that Jim would be refreshed and benefited by the sleep, and be in better condition for work than ever.

And, too, in recording the misfortunes of the poor man, we must not forget to mention the fact that at an early age he had been gobbled by a portly widow with a family of boys. She had probably considered that there was not much chance after all in men, a conclusion that a great many of the lovelier sex of all degrees have come to believe. Don't they say that they are all alike, and that we are all made to torment the poor dears to death.

Well, we mean to say that the widow married him, and for a long time the older boys would take their step-father and holding him on the ground give him a beating until he would bawl for mercy. Jim was in moral terror for his life and he considered it lucky, no doubt, if he escaped with a few beatings a month. And, too, he was made to feel that he had been greatly elevated by being received as an inmate of his wife's house, which was a log mansion, up what was called "Devil's Hollow."

If his newly acquired relations ever expected to get him to work, they must have been sadly disappointed, as most days of the week Jim came down to Tusleville, the county seat, some three miles from his home, and stood around with an old gun, in his greasy clothes, chewing tobacco, and hoping that some of the perpetual stream of toughs from a distance, who come to town to get drunk, would soon be so far gone in their drink as to make it safe for him to approach them for a dram from their bottle. Jim took to whiskey like a hog to buttermilk, and probably he never showed as much shrewdness as when he calculated as to what temperature given tough should be before he would let him drink from his bottle.

Occasionally it not only rained but poured when some especially fat tough fellow, pulling his whiskey would get him down on his back and "saw" him with his boot until he was laid clanked and bawled out, and would presently

be surprised to find that the rain was not to be punched by a respectable dr.

If the reader knows the manner of man the hero of this sketch was, he will not be surprised to know that the State with a discriminating eye has claimed him for her own, and has numbered him and keeps him safely in a place called the penitentiary, especially set apart for a distinguished class selected with great care from among her population. Nor wonder that he was perfectly innocent of the charge that sent him there, though not deserving as good a fate or as kind protection as he receives.

It was this way. There was undoubtedly a great deal of illicit manufacture of corn whiskey in the county, and something had to be done thought this department accountable for these violations. The moonshiners knew it would not be long until a raid was made and that if the deputies could smash a still or two, and take somebody away, they would rest quietly awhile.

They removed most of their stores from one outfit, not so very far back in the hills from Jim Castleberry's home in Devil's Hollow, and one of the gang wrote to the marshal:

Dear sir if you will pay me \$5 and 50c a day for all the time I put in will help you find a still if you come to Tusleville.

Yours affectionately,  
A. D. KEPPLER

As do not rile me a letter for I will take no male from the hills. They knew this would bring some marshals, and waiting until they were in town, Keppler took them on an extended hunt, for deer, they said; for several days, while some others made it their business to lodge Jim in the still house on a certain day.

On the third day Keppler took the officers near the still and found in the woods a man who showed he had been drinking. On asking where he got his drink, he told them of Castleberry and where he was located. Keppler said he was a dead shot and that he was the man sore enough.

As for Jim, he had been given a fabulous quantity of drink, and been set to keep the fire burning, and told to shoot anyone that came in sight no matter who he was, having put a blank load in his old gun. Jim had enough to make him brave, and when the officers had nearly entered the still house, Jim jumped up quickly and gave them the blank load from the musket right in their faces. They rushed in, captured Jim, broke up the outfit, the prisoner using his choicest oaths, thinking that some of the devilish boys were playing some prank upon him as usual.

They were not long at the place, as Keppler told them that they might be fired into any minute. He had come up in a mask being afraid of being identified. Upon his advice the officers kept their prisoner in the woods all day and left the country that night with Jim who was gaged to prevent an outcry.

Jim was safely lodged in a town hundreds of miles away from home and nobody concerned themselves to rescue him, and would not had they known him innocent. In court, his firing upon the officers, and the occupation in which they found him, were put in evidence, which with Jim's peculiar style of beauty made out hard for him, and so his future was secured for some years.

Non makes easy for her. She thinks that with the pecuniary assistance of a certain admirer, she will be able to obtain the divorce at the next term of court.

As for the poor victim of circumstances, he has no clear idea, we may presume, as to how he made himself liable to the damaging charges preferred against him, and his attorney told him that his cock and bull story, which was true, would make his sentence worse if told in court. He does not dislike the life at the institution and when he tells it now to some chum, the dangerous moonshiner imposes secrecy for fear that he would be thrown upon the unfeeling world if the authorities knew it.

## The Mohammedan Paradise

The Mohammedan paradise is a fairy land. To enter it, the believer must cross seven bridges, at each of which he must answer questions concerning his past life. Having crossed the bridges he is at the entrance. There are thirteen doors. The first act is to take a bath which gives to the body great brilliancy. This ablute of delight is built of bricks of gold and silver, held together by a mortar of musk. Four oceans sooth the senses—one of water, one of milk, one of wine. Waves of perfume envelop them, so powerful as to be noticed five hundred days march away. Lastly come the castles of the hours—seventy castles with seventy rooms, containing seventy state beds and seventy tables ready set, and in this castle 1,680,700,000 hours. This to each of the elect. He himself has seven robes of state. Great Prophet! let us all be Turks.—The Critic.

## PODD'N'HEAD WILSON'S WAS "OM

There is no character, however good and fine, but can be destroyed by ridicule, however poor and witless. Observe the ass for instance: his character is about perfect; he is the choicest spirit among the humbler animals, yet we see what ridicule has brought him to.—Instead of feeling complimented when we are called an ass, we are left in doubt.

Tell the truth, or tramp—but get the trick.

Adam was but human—this explains it all. He did not want the apple for the apple's sake; he wanted it only because it was forbidden. The mistake was in not forbidding the serpent; then he would have eaten the serpent.

Whoever has lived long enough to find out what life really is, knows how deep a debt of gratitude we owe to Adam, the first great benefactor of our race—he brought death into the world.—Mark Twain in The Century.

## Shameful.

After the Christmas is over—After the blow and the flash. The country will still be with Grover. But powerful little with cash.—Ex.

The effort to prove that the overthrow of Liliuokalani was a little private enterprise of Minister Stevens, has reached the silly stage.

## THE EFFOT.

"Do you think Cleveland's Hawaiian policy and its failure will hurt him politically?" asked a New York Congressman of a fellow statesman from Mississippi.

which expresses my belief about Cleveland's come out in the Queen of business. When I was a boy about ten years old I was visiting a neighboring farm. The name of my entertainer was Sprague. It was a dirty, cold, wet day. Just as the Sprague boy and I were picking our way through the mud and mire of the barn yard, old man Sprague came out of the barn leading a four year old colt. The colt was full of high, unbroken life, and seemed to be passing most of its time on its hind legs. Old Sprague wanted to water the colt and his policy was to enthrone himself on its back and ride it down to a neighboring branch.

"Whoa!" remarked old Sprague in a tone of fury as he jammed the colt against a strawstack, preparatory to mounting. Old Sprague was a very choleric man, and his bad temper had come near getting him "churched" two or three times.

"Getting the colt reasonably on four legs, old Sprague launched himself on the colt's bare back. He didn't tarry there a moment. The colt arched his back until it looked like a hoop, his nose between old Sprague's fore legs, and then indulged in three stiff legged jumps, which sent old Sprague rolling and tumbling in the mud of the barn yard. I was awed into silence by the spectacle but young Sprague almost burst into tears.

"Did it hurt you, paw?" he asked.

"Well," replied Sprague picking himself out of the mud hole in which he had lodged, his face red with wrath; "it didn't do me a blamed bit of good!"—Washington Post

## HOW DO YOU DO, AGAIN?

There is nothing more apparent to a thoughtful observer than that all things work. Labor is the great law of the universe. Nothing was created for idleness, for in nature rest means ruin, in repulsive forms. Hence no creature lives that must not work and may not play. It should be one of the very first lessons enjoined on rich and poor alike that man along with the rest of nature is born to work.

Health cannot breathe the atmosphere of sloth. Not only do our bodily faculties require work, or using for their proper development, but our mental energies share the need of being used. If a part is to develop it must be used; and this is true not merely of a muscle or a nerve but equally so of any moral or mental quality.

The perfect one must be good all around; muscular power, moral rectitude, and special senses should be in good trim, in other words excellent. It is an old adage that "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy," and yet and equally forcible sentiment may be found in the statement that occupation without fatigue is happiness. An idle hour is an hour of irksomeness. Idle persons must be vicious and unbecomingly. A philosopher teaches, there is always hope in a man who actually and earnestly works; in idleness alone is there perpetual despair.

By judicious working the body is preserved in a sound state. It is strengthened by increased appetite and assisted digestion, that renews and repairs.

"Better to work in fields for health unbought.

Than fee the doctor for a new draught.

The wise for cure on



**Libby Wilson in 1863.**  
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## STALL FOR CHERISH HORSE

A confirmed cribber is incurable unless means are taken to prevent practice of the habit. This may be done by removing from a box stall every projecting thing that may be held out by the horse's teeth. There should be no feed rack or trough in the stall, the food being given in a shallow box on the floor, which, if taken by the teeth, will be lifted and thus furnish no hold. In time the habit will be forgotten. If not, this precaution should be persevered in.—*New York Times*

## CURING SQUIRREL SKIN

To cure squirrel skin, or other small skins, with the fur on, so that the fur will not fall out: After having cut off the useless parts, soak the skin, remove the fatty matter, and soak in warm water for one hour. Mix to a thin paste a half ounce each of borax, sulphate and sulphate of soda. Apply this to the skin and let the latter stand for twenty-four hours. Wash clean; then apply a mixture of one ounce sal soda, one-half ounce borax, two ounces hard white soap melted together without being allowed to boil. Put away for twenty-four hours in a warm place. After this dissolve four ounces alum, eight ounces salt and two ounces sal soda in sufficient hot rainwater to saturate the skin; then wring out and lay it out to dry. When dry repeat the same and drying two or three times more. The skin is sufficiently soft. Lastly, smooth the inside with fine sandpaper and paraffin stone.—*Lark, H. and H. H. H.*

## SHADE FOR STOCK

Stock of all kinds are not unlike themselves in some respects, and seek the shade whenever possible during the extreme heat of summer. To gratify this desire, shade should be provided wherever practicable, and the cheapest manner of doing this is through the use of shade trees. One or two small trees set out in each pasture, and protected by a fence until thoroughly established. If the field is too small, set the trees along the south side, so that the shade of rapid growth and spreading branches. If they be fruit trees, they should be trained to a height of at least seven feet, and then allowed to branch out. While the trees are growing, it would be simply humane to provide a temporary shelter of some kind, such as setting a few posts, and covering with poles, upon which are thrown branches of evergreens, or even limbs of oak or other trees in full leaf. This will afford a useful shelter, and if located upon a knoll or other naturally poor portion of the field, it will thoroughly enrich the soil. In choosing its position, early, various portions of the field will be benefited. All this takes but a little time, and is a thing when other work is not pressing. By bearing up late as the summer, the soil from under the prevailing wind blows, a fair amount of rain from the drifting clouds will be caught, and the stock will return to the field.—*American Agriculturist*

## POULTRY ADVICE

As the result of experiments at the Central Experiment Farm, in Canada, the following conclusions have been reached:

1. Chickens should be kept in the winter with their feet covered with straw or other material to prevent frost.

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no layer over two years, for it then usually so late that all future eggs are eaten up before it commences laying.

Intelligent and systematic management is as necessary in the poultry department as it is in every other line of business.

## WEANING CALVES

It is a disappointing time when one sees the calf or colt, that has been growing thriftily while fed by its dam, beginning to look rough in hair and thin in flesh as it comes to the changed condition of feed when once it has been weaned. It is right here that so much of the trouble comes in attempting to raise calves and colts. It is the sudden changed condition of feed that disarranges the small animal's digestive organs, and for a while appears to stop its growth entirely. The remedy is plainly the making of the dam's milk to the new food as little of a change as possible at first, and to make this change very gradually.

To do this it is best to begin by allowing the calf, for instance, to take but half its fill of its dam's milk, finishing upon a mixture of fresh milk and warm skim milk. Gradually the dam's milk can be reduced in the ration, and the warm skim milk increased while into it is stirred a little boiled flax-seed and boiled oat meal and middlings, very little of these substances being added to the milk at first, while gradually increasing the quantity as the calf gets older and more fully accustomed to this food. The great point is to make the change so gradually as not to disturb the digestive functions, and no small part of the care required to do this is having the prepared food always of the warmth of new milk. Even after the calf has grown strong and lusty upon its new diet, the milk and mush which is given it should be warmed, as the chilling of the stomach from the drinking of a pail of cold milk, or other fluid, is likely to be the beginning of a serious disturbance that may manifest itself in scours and in a failure to properly assimilate the food taken, which means retarded growth. A calf at this time should have some grass or hay to eat, but let it be clover, if possible, and not too much of that, for weaned calves kept in stable, frequently overtax both the capacity and the digestive power of their stomachs by eating large quantities of dry hay, becoming thereby "pot-bellied" and unthrifty. If scours occur, even when every care is taken, a drink of milk freshly drawn from the cow will prove a corrective, while constipation, if it occurs, can be remedied by taking care not to boil the milk when heating it, and by slightly increasing the laxative foods that are added to the milk, adding a little boiled bran, if needed, for this purpose. If such a plan is followed, and the small animal, or animals, are kept warm and given a dry pen, the change from their dams to the pail or calf feeder can be made with little difficulty.—*American Agriculturist*

## FARM AND GARDEN NOTES

Do not shoe young horses too heavily.

Breed gives form, and feed gives growth.

An easy way to exhaust land is to avoid rotation.

Thoroughly whitewash the inside of your poultry house.

Use plenty of plaster to absorb the ammonia in the stable.

The cheapest and best way is to take good care of everything.

The pacers are coming to the front in the race for popularity.

Pay more attention to the walking gait. Good walkers are rare.

Heroic treatment is the only proper method if spavin is suspected.

Sort your eggs as to color, if you want them to look and sell well.

Melon bugs may be destroyed with finely powdered bone meal dusted on the plants when wet with dew.

Excellent results are obtained by using good mares of Morgan descent with the best trotting stallions.

Furnish sitting hens with good, fresh, clean nests in a darkened place, and put them on in the evening.

Watering a horse directly after eating injures the digestive fluids of the stomach and produces dyspepsia and diarrhoea.

Turn hens lay at night or early in the morning. Don't let them out until after nine or ten o'clock. They seldom lay in the morning.

A half-charged vessel with soft food and feed will prevent indigestion. It is a good partner of the feed and feed.

In early and cold weather it is carried too far, and the offspring is born too weak to do anything in the way of work.

A horse's tendency to often let the nose down. When in doubt about the nose down, it is generally safe to give the horse the nose down.

## BIRDS AND BEASTS EXHIBITED IN JACKSON PARK

The Columbian Ducks—Knowing-looking Monkeys in the Midway Plaisance—Reindeer and Dogs.

As to the water of the World's Fair ducks—most of them white, but all of them of unusual size. They swim around and enjoy themselves and they have more to eat than is good for them, for the visitors, and especially the children, like nothing better than to stand by the water's edge and throw bread crumbs to the ducks. There are young ones, too, hatched out in the bushes, and one can easily imagine what terrible concealed ducks they will be when they go, after the Fair is over, to some modest every-day barn yard. They will probably be known as Columbian ducks and it is not improbable that some poultry fancier may start a new breed with that name. The World's Fair ducks first made their appearance in the latter part of April and they were purchased at a large expense, for there is not a common one among them. All of them are aristocratic ducks.

There are other water fowl, too, and two black swans repose on the water near the Japanese tea house, across from the big fine arts building. There are white swans, also.

It happened to a writer for the Washington Star to be standing watching the Hagenbeck parrots the other day and wondering what they were saying and whether they understood each other or themselves, when there arose from outside the entrance to the menagerie such a squealing and howling that it seemed more than probable that the Dahomey Amazons had cornered all the residents of Cairo street and were putting them to some novel and terrible torture. But it wasn't that, it was simply a row among the monkeys that occupy the cage on the left hand side opposite the ticket office. They were "raising Cain" with a vengeance, jumping from side to side of the cage, swinging by their tails and uttering the most unearthly yells in the meantime. What was the cause of it all? Why a young man had thrown a cigarette in the cage and the monkeys seemed to take it as the most grievous offense to their dignity that had ever befallen them.

There is one monkey in Jackson Park that deserves a description all to himself. In the centre of the Java village, not far from the big pavilion and alongside of the queer little water-wheel which keeps the toy figure always turning somersaults, there is a cage where a big mair ape lives in solitary grandeur. He is about as large as a fourteen-year-old boy, but his face is that of an old, old man. Some men look more like monkeys than this fellow does. He is burdened for want of occupation, and he is terribly bored by the crowd that gazes at him all day. He does not notice it usually, but sometimes he does and then he gives it a look of such unmitigated contempt that it usually feels a little ashamed because it is not caged up in his place. He ought to be at large and the crowd ought to be in the cage; that is the way one sometimes feels. This ape has a rug in his cage and in sheer disgust with the world and the stupidity of men he sometimes lies upon his back and covers his face up with it, so as to hide the vulgar rattle from his gaze. When it is chilly he draws the rug about him and when he is angry, as he sometimes is, he tears the rug to pieces. His arms are so long that they reach to his knees, his body is covered with coarse, reddish-brown hair, his hands are long and shriveled.

Have you ever held a conversation with an ostrich? There is a whole troop of them in the lower end of Midway Plaisance. As you stand by the fence and look at them, they stand by the fence and look at you. They are said to be fools, but they cock their heads and blink their eyes meditatively, and they look very wise. An ostrich really looks like nothing but a big Shanghai cockerel. He runs in the same awkward fashion, and he sits down the way a chicken does, but his body is about four or five feet from the ground. It would be interesting to see an ostrich fight, but although he is a good fighter, he has not enough to run in to fight a horse or a bull. He is a good fighter, but he has not enough to run in to fight a horse or a bull. He is a good fighter, but he has not enough to run in to fight a horse or a bull.

Across the river from the city, there are a lot of ranches in the Laramie valley, and as you enter the western park gate of the Fair you may perhaps be greeted by a sound from the prairie dogs. These are large, shaggy animals, with wool as thick as that of a sheep, and they look very queer. They are about the size of a little lamb, but they are a lot more like a sheep. They are about the size of a little lamb, but they are a lot more like a sheep. They are about the size of a little lamb, but they are a lot more like a sheep.

dogs, although there are some of them that seem to be fond of the Equine children who follow them around the village. The favored dogs which help to make the Fair a happy success, as it were, are, besides the Equine, the big hounds that perform in Hagenbeck's show, a little fox terrier that forms a part of the performance of Fatterall's military tournament, a fine Irish collie that belongs in Lady Aberdeen's Irish village. You can add to these an occasional wretched mangy cur that slips in every now and then without ticket or photographic pass. How he passes through the turnstiles is always a mystery and it is clear that he never could jump over the fence. He always makes his appearance where about the middle of the part having come from noon-knowledge. Then the guards begin to hunt him. They run him from one to another, and perhaps he is finally destroyed and thrown upon a dirt heap.

There are a few chickens in the park, and they are to be found in the village of Dahomey. They belong to no particular breed and are essentially plebeian. In point of fact the residents of the Star can see the same kind of fowl on the vacant lots of Washington, and a good many of them have red daniel tied about the leg. So have the Dahomey chickens, and the different dusky Amazons have quarrels about the ownership of the chickens. They are much prized as natural belongings to African scenery. They do not often lay eggs and they are not eaten, but they have their uses doubtless.

## SELECT SIFTINGS

There are 66,935,190 horses in the world.

One-half the population of Mexico are full-blooded Indians.

Charlemagne was said to be the best player at checkers of his century.

For hundreds of years, in Malta, beatings have been considered a certain cure for rheumatism.

A Spaniard saved a Pennsylvania farmer's wallet, containing \$2100, after the latter had been knocked down by highwaymen.

Magna Charta, the great charter of Englishmen's liberties, is preserved in the British Museum. It is somewhat stained by time, but King John's seal and name are still quite legible at the bottom of it.

The Lord Mayor is the only person—except the Queen and the Constable—who knows the password to the Tower of London. This password is sent to the Mansion House quarterly. It is a survival of an old custom.

A Liverpool (England) policeman, who, as he thought, swallowed a sixpence thirteen years ago, recently had a severe pain in his throat. A fit of coughing came on, and the long lost coin, half of its original thickness was released from his throat.

The tirailleurs of the Russian army are to be equipped with snow shoes next winter. The Prussian troops on the Russian frontier have used snow shoes with satisfaction for several winters. Two hundred and sixty-two thousand recruits for the Russian army are to be drawn by conscription this year.

The name Veragua appears for the first time in history in Columbus's letter from Jamaica July 7, 1503, to Ferdinand and Isabella. Columbus took the name from the natives, who applied it to the country east of Admiral's Bay; but in the early part of the Sixteenth Century the name of Veragua was given to the whole coast of Central America.

## The Munich Colossus

The colossal statue "Bavaria," one of the most beautiful as well as one of the largest allegorical works of art in Europe, was unveiled on October 3, 1850, in the presence of Kings Ludwig and Otto, the Queen of the former and a vast multitude of spectators. "Bavaria" was designed by Schwanthaler, who was assisted in his work by Lazarini, both working from suggestions made by the King. The metal (bronze) in the statue weighs some few hundreds of pounds over twenty tons, about five tons more than had ever before been melted in one furnace. As it stands today on its thirty-foot pedestal the colossus is a titanic Bavarian maiden fifty-four feet in height with a gigantic lion crouched by her side. The statue and pedestal combined are eighty-four feet in height, and the whole being placed upon a massive base thirty feet above the ground level, the total height of the colossus is one hundred and four feet. The statue is a masterpiece of art, and it is a great pleasure to see it. The statue is a masterpiece of art, and it is a great pleasure to see it.

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Best cold lemon one beef's tongue, saving a pint of the liquor; remove the skin, allow it to get perfectly cold and slice as for the table. In half a pint of water dissolve thoroughly two ounces of gelatine; carefully take from a teaspoonful of liquid yeast gravy all the grease, stir in a small tablespoonful of oil or sugar, one tablespoonful of lemon juice, one tablespoonful of lemon sugar, and three tablespoonfuls of vinegar, then the liquor in which the tongue was boiled; mix in well the dissolved gelatine, then a pint of boiling water, strain through a jelly bag. As soon as it begins to set, pour a little jelly into the bottom of the mold, add a pint of tongue, then more jelly, until it is full, set in a cold place. When wanted, dip the mold an instant into hot water, and turn the contents into a dish, which should be garnished with lettuce leaves, nasturtium flowers or sprigs of celery.—*New York Telegram*

## TESTED RECIPE FOR LEMON PIE

A tested receipt for a lemon pie that is delicious calls for four eggs, a small tablespoonful of cornstarch, two lemons and a half teaspoonful of baking powder. Set aside the whites of two of the eggs for the meringue of the pie, and beat the whites of the other two to a dry froth. Beat all the yolks with the sugar, and when light add the dry cornstarch. Mix until perfectly smooth, then add the juice of the lemons, and the grated yellow rind of one. Melt the butter and add that; then stir in the baking powder as rapidly as possible, turn into a pastry shell that has been previously baked. Make the meringue in the usual way.

A lemon filling for pies that is more economical and not as rich, is made in this way: Add a cupful of granulated sugar to the yolks of three eggs and beat the mixture until light, then add the juice and rind of a large lemon. To two small tablespoonfuls of flour add a little cold water. When free from lumps, add half a cupful of hot water and make a smooth paste. Mix this with the other part of the filling, and bake in a crust that has been previously baked. Such crusts should not be allowed to brown in the first baking.—*New York Post*

## TO PREPARE CORN

Of all the vegetables corn is the most universally welcomed. Here are a few recipes showing the different ways it may be prepared:

Green Corn Fritters—Cut through each row of kernels with a sharp knife. Then with the back of the knife press out the pulp and leave the hull on the cob. This is better and easier than to shave or grate off the kernels. To one pint of corn pulp add two well-beaten eggs, half a teaspoonful of salt, half a saltspoonful of pepper and two table-spoonfuls of flour, or just enough to keep the corn and egg together. Do not add milk, as then more flour will be required, and this destroys the flavor of the corn. Fry in small cakes on a buttered griddle and brown well on each side, or add more flour and drop by spoonfuls into deep fat. When highly seasoned with salt and pepper these fritters have the flavor of oysters.

Boiled Green Corn—Choose young sugar-corn, full grown, but not hard; test with the nail. When the grain is pierced the milk should escape in a jet and not be thick. Clean by stripping off the outer leaves, turn back the innermost covering carefully, pick off every thread of silk and recover the ear with the thin husk that grew nearest it. Tie at the top with a bit of thread, put into boiling water salted and cook fast from twenty minutes to half an hour, in proportion to size and age. Cut off the stalks close to the cob and send whole to the table wrapped in a napkin.

Corn Soup—Take one large fowl, or four pounds of veal (the knuckles or neck will do); put over the fire in one gallon of cold water, without salt; cover tightly and simmer slowly until the meat will slip from the bones, not allowing it to boil all the strength out as the meat can be made into a nice dish for breakfast by reserving a cupful of the liquor to put with it in a mince on toast, or a stew. Strain the soup to remove all bones and bits of meat. Grate one dozen ears of green corn, scraping cobs to remove the heart of the kernel. Add corn to the soup, with salt, pepper and a little parsley, and simmer slowly half an hour. Just before serving add a tablespoonful of flour, beaten very thoroughly with a tablespoonful of butter, have your best.

Corn and Ham—Take equal quantities of corn and ham, and cook in a stew. The corn should be cut off the cob and sent whole to the table wrapped in a napkin. The ham should be cut into small pieces and sent to the table wrapped in a napkin.



Mr. Harry Patterson was up last week.

Mr. George Moore has moved to Murray Branch.

Mr. Doug Ashford has gone to Tennessee to be gone 20 years.

What is home without a newspaper? A home without a newspaper is no home at all. It is simply a place.

**ELK NEWS.**

Five winter residents are in the way of cold.

Some sickness in the way of cold etc.

Mr. Sam Gay and sons have been out of the way of handling large amounts of money and are now in the way of handling large amounts of money.

W. T. and son and wife have returned home from Indiana, where they have been visiting their friends and relatives.

Some calves in this vicinity are being well black leg.

Mr. Ben Varner and family have moved to Iowa where they make their future home. Miss A. S. and son accompanied them.

One of the many calves, after getting home from their shipping, say they will have to make an argument.

Bob Gibson says the Democratic administration has done him good. It's another girl.

Miss Allie McLaughlin has returned home after teaching a successful school at West Union.

Perry Jackson was on Elk week visiting his many friends and relatives.

Capt. Mondy, of Buckhorn, has been spending the winter at High Sharp.

Robert O'Connell from Littleton last week. She will be here yet.

Miss Georgianna Hunt, teaching the State Fork School, she taught her first school at Brown's Creek, where she great praise as a first class teacher.

A few teachers would like to see the Sheriff and get some means wherewith to prolong their tenure.

**ESTRAY.**

I have on my place a small ling heifer, red, with a small spot on either side behind the ear. No ear mark or other mark. Has been there about two weeks.

The owner may have the property by paying the cost of keeping and advertising.

W. McCLELLAN.

**LOST!**

A small gold shoe, lost at the State Fork School, Nov. 25. The owner will be liberally rewarded.

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**SPECIAL.**

Cloaks! Cloaks! just received a fine line of Ladies' Cloaks in all styles, all sizes at rock bottom prices. Must be closed out before the season is broken. I have a large lot of overcoats.

by Rev. C. S. Morgan  
Choir - 8 p.m.

**FOR FALL AND WINTER OF 1893**

**\* NOTICE \***

I have just arrived from the Eastern markets with a full line of goods. I carry a large complete lot for fall and winter season. I have been able to secure with really cash-giving reductions owing to the stringency of times and am able to offer bargains that have never been offered in this county.

All goods are controlled by no combination. I am non-conservative in my business and so will protect profit and give honored customers and prices. I have bought goods to sell and when I buy a bargain I sell a bargain.

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HOME NEWS

It is proposed to abolish postal notes, and extend the money order privilege to country postoffices. This would be filling a felt want, and would favor many thousands of our people.

—We understand that a butter fly was seen on Christmas day flying about as though it were sun-burnt. It was out a long distance from any house.

—About a month ago we saw a hunter with six pheasants, each of which had had its head shot cleanly off, with a Winchester.

—Just received at E. L. Beard & Co. a carload of salt at \$2.75, cash, per sack.

—A correspondent of the Tygart Valley News writing from Hedges, Tucker county, states that three hundred men were employed grading the Dry Fork R. R., and in three or four weeks, 16 miles will be ready for track laying. This is the road that seems to be heading for Caldwell, down the Greenbrier river.

—A foot ball match has been arranged for Jan. 20th between a club of English players, of Mingo, and a Marlinton team, to be played at this place. Foot ball is very popular with our people, and this will be an especially interesting game. The Mingo players represent many of the fine schools and colleges of England.

—Andy Taylor, of William's River, has a fine Shepard dog who will extinguish any fire that is of such a nature to make it possible for him to do so, such as a lighted match thrown on the floor beside him. If a newspaper is lighted he will roll over it until the fire is quite out. The other day some boys had made a fire to warm by, which the dog scattered a time or two, until they mentioned the fact that it was not his put in, (or out) when he let the fire burn.

A good many receptions were given by our neighbors during the past holiday season. Mr. G. H. McLaughlin's residence was filled with young folks on Wednesday evening. Mr. Clark Mann and wife entertained many friends at their home near Edray. Mr. Will McLaughlin was among those attending from Marlinton. Hotel Dyer was the scene of festivities on New Year's evening.

—In the West they hang a Chinaman for passing a white woman. The same week a Judge in Holland dismissed the defendant in a case where he was charged with the same offense, with the assertion that a kiss was a mark of honor and esteem, and that the defendant had in no way laid himself liable for damages.

Constable J. H. Buzzard has just returned from a trip to Greenbrier county, where he had taken Henry Fletcher in prisoner to the authorities of that county. The crime in which Fletcher is implicated is the shooting of Thomas Reed at Williamsburg in that county. Fletcher was found at Harper's Camp.

—Ed Pryor (colored), of the L. & N. R. R., was charged by the Home Guard with being a rebel. He was arrested and taken to the Home Guard camp. He was released after a short confinement.

Adam Marshall is at his home at Mingo Flats. Dr. and Mrs. Ligon, of Clover Lick, had some of their friends to dinner on New Year's day, in honor of the Doctor's birthday and the time of year.

Misses Edie Moore and Maggie Mann, of Edray, and Miss Johnson, of Marlinton, were out a long distance from any house. As guests of the Misses McLaughlin.

Miss Lula Moore, of Edray, paid Marlinton a holiday visit. Mr. J. R. Butler, of Webster county, called at this office Tuesday.

MA RIED. Miss Cora Lee Simmons and Mr. Frank Hoover, of Hot Springs, on Dec. 27th, by Rev. C. Sydenstricker, at the residence of the bride's father near Mill Point.

Mr. Will Wade and Miss Minta Smith, by Rev. C. Sydenstricker, Dec. 27th, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Isaac Smith, near Mill Point.

In the Levels District Mr. Romeo Pratt and Miss Juliet Cuthlip. Married On Wednesday, December 27, 1893, at the Edray church, by Rev. Geo. P. Moore, Mr. Ellis Sharp and Miss Lucy Gay, daughter of Joseph C. Gay Esq.

AT a Circuit Court continued and held for the County of Pocahontas, at the Court house thereof, on the 21st day of June, 1893.

State of West Virginia, Plaintiff vs. Joseph Pennell or his unknown heirs, and A. G. Gum, or his unknown heirs, Defendants.

In the matter of Forfeited Land. On motion of John W. Warwick, Comptroller of the Public Lands for this County, the above cause of State of West Virginia vs. J. G. Gum or his unknown heirs, is referred to N. C. McNeill one of the commissioners of this court, who shall take, state, and report to Court the following matters of account viz: whether or not the said tract of land containing 50 acres and set forth in the bill as forfeited in the name of A. G. Gum, has really been forfeited, and if so, whether by such forfeiture, said land passes to the State or to some one else, and by virtue of Article XIII, Section 3 of the constitution of the State of West Virginia, amended by the acts of 1890. But before taking said account he shall publish in the Pocahontas Times a newspaper published in the county and post on the front door of the Court house for four consecutive weeks a notice of the time and place of taking said account, which shall be sufficient to permit any person on all parties, it is understood in this Order that no part of said bill in regard to the tract of 427 acres more or less is at this time referred to Connor McNeil.

A Copy Teste: J. H. Patterson, Clerk. The plaintiff and A. G. Gum or his unknown heirs and all unknown claimants of any part or parcel of the above named 50 acre tract will take notice that on the 10th day of January 1894, at my office in the town of Marlinton, Pocahontas County, W. Va. I will commence the discharge of my duties under above decree, at which time and place you and each of you can attend and protect and defend any interest you may have in said tract of land. Given under my hand this 30th day of November 1893. N. C. McNEIL, Commissioner

HOTEL BYD.R. The hotel formerly known as the Yearling recently changed hands and is now under new management. RATES. Meals 25c Per Day \$1.00 & 1.25 Per month \$15.00 Table board \$12.00

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Sale of Real-Estate for Taxes.

Notice is hereby given that the following described tracts or lots of land in the county of Pocahontas, which are delinquent for the non payment of taxes for the years 1891 and 1892, will be offered for sale by the undersigned Sheriff at Public Auction, at the front door of the Court House of said County between the hours of ten in the morning and four in the afternoon.

ON THE 2nd DAY OF JANUARY, 1894.

Each tract or lot or so much thereof as shall be necessary will be sold for so much cash as shall be necessary to satisfy the amount due thereon, as set forth in the following table:

NAME OF PERSON CHARGED WITH TAXES.	QUANTITY OF LAND.	LOCAL DESCRIPTION.	Total amount of taxes and interest due on said land, being the sum of the amount of taxes and interest due on said land, and the amount of the cost of the sale of said land.
<b>EDRAY DISTRICT.</b>			
Lockridge, H. M.	426	Middle Mtn	7 61
McDonald, Geo. W.	204	Thorny Flat	20 62
Same	1633	Big Spring	108 16
Wood, Walter	6500	Big River	164 34
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<b>HUNTERSVILLE DISTRICT.</b>			
Allemong, J. W. F.	139	From J. D. Price	8 50
Same	710	Bro. n. a Mnt	16 45
Craig, Geo. E. & Est.	2	J. J. Huntersville	3 40
Grimes, David's Est.	277	Thorny Creek	2 75
Same	140	Same	1 73
Kelley, Jno. Sr's Est.	219	Waters Knapp's Cr.	4 25
Lockridge, J. Anty and W. C. Leek	76	Adj. I. B. Moore	2 41
Matheny, Daniel Est.	25	Alleghany Mnt	91
McNeil, Rachel and J. Heard	2406	Buckley mtn	29 09
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White Henry & Jos. Seibert's Est.	200	Middle Mtn	9 40
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Young, Chas Est	189	Marlin's mtn	2 19
<b>GREENBANK DISTRICT.</b>			
Campbell, J. B. & Est.	60	W. Greenbrier R.	1 71
Campbell, Sam'l B	271	Same	5 04
Sharp, Jno. Sr's Est	2308	Alleghany mtn	23 08
<b>LITTLE LEVELS DISTRICT.</b>			
Cackley, Valentine's Est.	149	Stamping Creek	3 20
Same	57	Green brier River	1 22
Dean, J. P.	87	Mill Run	1 30

Recapitulation: State Taxes \$392.57; County Taxes \$281.04; District Taxes \$283.15; Total \$956.76.

Any of the aforesaid tracts of land may be redeemed by paying to the undersigned Sheriff, before sale, of the amount due thereon. Given under my hand this 16th day of November, 1893. J. C. ARBOGAST, Sheriff.

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Marlinton, W. Va.

INDUJARY NOTICE.

The following fiduciary accounts are before the undersigned Commissioner of accounts for Pocahontas county for settlement:

L. M. McClintie, Admr. of W. H. McClintie dec'd.

Ellie S. White, Executrix of W. H. White dec'd.

Given under my hand this 18th day of December, 1893.

J. H. PATTERSON, Comr.

Mr. Charles Nordhoff is disposed to place a fictitious value on his Hawaiian thoughts.

Indianapolis' tin horn postmaster has not yet been tooted out of official tune.

Senator Hill went all the way to Albany to eat his Christmas turkey and to think of new plans for making the administration happy.

The Brazilian insurgents took a day off Christmas and hung up their stockings.

Speaking of the tariff question the New York Sun continues to keep its eye on the professor.

This is a great and glorious country, but our present financial condition shows how foolish it was to attempt to hold a World's Fair until the Patti farewell in the same year.

English scientists are very much worried over the results of an investigation which has shown beyond peradventure of a doubt that the seas around the British coast are being rapidly exhausted of fish. The subject is receiving grave consideration, and it is probable that elaborate methods of restocking the waters will be undertaken within a few years.

"Bakky Ili; the Queen," is the big black first line of a very expressive heading with which an esteemed contemporary announces to its readers of the breezy and untrammelled west that the ducky expotentate of Hawaii had objected to some of the paramount policy which was designed to sent her on her unstable throne.—Constitution.

The Tariff reform Bill will be called up after the holiday recess. We trust that it will then be pushed with energy and decision, and especially that the partisan efforts of the minority to block the way with their maneuvers on the Hawaiian question or any like matter will not be allowed to interfere with it. The committee on Commerce has not yet reported on the bill, and it is not probable that it will be reported before the session closes. The bill is a very important one, and it is to be hoped that it will be passed before the session closes.

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Office of V. C. McNeil, Marlinton, W. Va. November 30th 1893

James Barkley's Admr.

James Barkley's Devises et als.

Notice is hereby given to all parties interested in above styled cause that I will at my office in the town of Marlinton, Pocahontas County, W. Va., on the 24th day of January 1894, proceed to take state and report the following matters, to-wit:

1st. Settlement of the accounts of J. C. Arbogast admr. of James Barkley dec'd with his intestate's estate.

2nd. An account of all debts due from the estate of James Barkley dec'd with their amounts and priorities and to whom due.

3rd. Any other matter deemed pertinent by me or required to be specially stated by any party in interest.

At which time and place you may attend.

N. C. McNeil, Comr.

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Notice to Creditors.

To the creditors of James Barkley, deceased, In pursuance to a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County made in a cause therein pending, to set aside the real estate of the said James Barkley, to the payment of his debts, you are required to present your claims against the estate of the said James Barkley for adjustment to the undersigned, Commissioner, at his office in the said county, on or before the 10th day of January 1894.

James J. H. Patterson, Clerk of said Court this 30th day of December, 1893.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

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Office of Commissioner N. C. McNeil

Marlinton, W. Va. November 8, 1893.

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## Election Precincts

By Order of the County Court

State of West Virginia,

County of Pocahontas, to-wit:

At a session of the County Court of said pocahontas county, held at the court house thereof on the 9th day of January, 1894, being a continuation of the regular session of said court, commencing on the first Tuesday in January, 1894, the said court proceeds, in pursuance to an order of continuance made on the 4th day of October, 1893, to be found of record in the regular "Order Book" of this court, and in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of West Virginia passed February 23, 1893, being Chapter 25 of the Acts of 1893, to divide the four Magisterial Districts of this, the said Pocahontas county, into Election Precincts, establish the number and boundaries of each, and designate the place of holding elections in each of said precincts, which is done as follows:

### District No. 1. (Green Bank)

This district is divided into three precincts numbered and bounded as follows:

Precinct No. 1. Commencing at the county line between this county and Randolph on Cheat Mountain, west of David Hevener's and running a straight line to the dividing line between David Hevener and Jas. H. Gum, thence a straight line to the ford south of G. W. and U. Phillips on the county road leading from Green Bank to Ferry, thence a straight line to the ridge between the State and West Virginia, thence a straight line to the State line between Virginia and West Virginia, thence with said line to the line between Pocahontas and Pendleton counties, thence with the line between said Pocahontas and Pendleton counties to the line between Randolph and Pocahontas counties, thence with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house nearest Travellers Rest.

Precinct no. 2. Commencing at a point on the line between the counties of Pocahontas and Randolph and west of the McLoughlin church on Back Alleghany Mountain, thence to said church, thence to a point 5 rods south of Allen Galfords residence, thence to a point on the Huntersville & Green Bank road midway between the cross roads school house and Driscoll's old lumber camp above Harry M. Moore's, thence to Glade Hill school house, thence due east to the line between the States of Virginia and West Virginia on top of Alleghany Mountain, thence northward along the line between said States to the corner on said line of election precinct no. 1, and thence with the line of precinct no. one to the line between Pocahontas and Randolph counties, and thence with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the village of Green Bank.

Precinct no. 3. Commencing at same point as precinct no. 2, thence eastward with the line of said precinct to the line between the States of Virginia and West Virginia, thence northward along the line between said States to the corner on said line of election precinct no. 1, and thence with the line of precinct no. one to the line between Pocahontas and Randolph counties, and thence with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the village of Green Bank.

Huntersville districts, thence westward with the line between said districts to the corner of said line between Edray and Green Bank districts, thence with line of said districts to the line between the counties of Randolph and Pocahontas, thence northward with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the village of Dunmore.

### District No. 2. (Edray).

This District is divided into three precincts numbered and bounded as follows:

Precinct no. 1. Commencing on Greenbrier at the upper end of the John J. Kellison place, thence a straight line to the Lewisburg and Marlinton Bottom turnpike on the division line between J. S. Moore and Claiborn McNeill, and thence with their line in dividing ridge and with said ridge (or divide) to the head of Mountain Lick Run and down same to Beaver dam and down same to a birch and 2 pines by said creek, corner to a survey of 2650 acres made for Paul McNeel on the twenty sixth day of May 1880, and with same N 54 W 188 poles to 2 birches on the east side of Black Mountain by a cliff of rocks, corner to McNeel and Edray, thence with said line between said survey of 5943 acres, and thence with said line between said survey of 5943 acres and a survey of 2850 acres made for Paul McNeel and John Yeager to a point due west of the mouth of Day Run, thence leaving said line and run

due west to the mouth of said Day Run, thence with said line to the first low place on the Big Knob on Day's Mountain, thence to Levi Gay's barn on the Griffin place, thence to Mrs. Nancy Ruff's barn, thence to the mouth of Ratliff's Run on Stony Creek, thence with said creek to the mouth of the Indian Draft, thence to Gibson's stone quarry, thence to large rock on the east side of Greenbrier river above Geo. Gibson's house, thence a straight line to a large rock with a waterfall by the road about 2 and one half miles from Greenbrier bridge at Marlinton, thence a straight line crossing Knapp's Creek, to an island below the Joshua Buckley landing, thence down the river and with the same to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the town of Marlinton.

Precinct no. 2. Commencing at a large rock on Greenbrier above Geo. Gibson's house and corner to precinct no. 1, and with line of the same to Gibson's stone quarry, thence to the mouth of Indian Draft on Stony Creek, thence with said creek to the mouth of Ratliff's run, thence to Mrs. Ratliff's barn thence to Levi Gay's barn on the Griffin place, thence to the top of "Big Knob" on Days Mountain, thence crossing at the first low place to the mouth of Day's run, thence due west to the district line on a 2850 acre survey made for Paul McNeel and John Yeager, and following said lines to the Webster county line, thence running northward with the Pocahontas county line to the Guycy river, thence running up said river to its head, thence a straight line to Gibson's cattle scales by the side of the Marlinton Bottom and Huttonsville turnpike, thence a straight line to the head of the Guycy river, thence a straight line to the lower corner, thence to the Ponge school house, thence with the public road to the the beginning of precinct no. three, thence with Greenbrier river to a large rock on east side of river above Geo. Gibson's house, the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house nearest Edray.

Precinct No. 3.—Commencing at the ford of the river near the mouth of Clover creek; thence with the road to the Ponge school house, thence to the lower corner between the lands of Isaac and Abraham Shinneberry with their line up Clover creek mountain and continuing same direction to top of same, thence following the top of the mountain with divide of the waters to a point two poles north of the house on A. M. M. Glaughlin's land, thence following same top to where the road crosses the said

road, thence down the hollow to a point two poles south of Clark Rider's residence, thence a straight line to a point two poles south of the residence of James Gibson, Jr., thence a straight line to Gibson's cattle scales on the Marlinton Bottom and Huttonsville turnpike, thence a straight line to the head of Gauley river, thence with said river to the western county line of Pocahontas county, thence northward along said line and around with the same and common line of Magisterial District No. 2 to where said line crosses Cheat river, corner of Magisterial District No. 1, thence in a southerly direction to the head of Glade Run, thence a straight line to the low place in a ridge west of Barnett's, thence a straight line to the mouth of Clover creek, thence to the beginning.—And the place of holding elections in this Precinct shall be at the Public School House nearest Split Rock.

### District, No. 3 (Huntersville.)

This District is divided into two precincts numbered and bounded as follows:

Precinct No. 1.—Commencing at a point on Greenbrier river opposite Paul Sharp's, thence a straight line running eastward to a point 10 rods North of W. H. Dilley's residence, thence a straight line to a point 10 rods South of Gratton Weiford's residence, thence a straight line to a point 10 rods north of Samuel Harper's mill, thence a straight line to the Virginia and West Virginia line, thence northward with said line to the line dividing the Green Bank and Huntersville Districts, thence with said line to the mouth of Clover creek, and thence with the Edray and Huntersville districts, thence to the

head of the Public school house at Front.

Precinct No. 2, Commencing at same point as Precinct No. 1, thence with the lines of said Precinct No. 1 to the line between the States of Virginia and West Virginia, thence Southward with lines between said States to the corner of line between Greenbrier and Pocahontas counties, thence with the County line between said counties to the district line between the Little Levels and Huntersville Districts, thence with said line to the line between the Edray and Huntersville Districts and with the same to the beginning.—And the place of holding elections in this Precinct shall be at the Public School House in the town of Huntersville.

District No. 4 (Little Levels.)—This District is divided into Three Precincts numbered and bounded as follows:

Precinct No. 1.—Commencing at a point where Cranberry river crosses the Greenbrier line, and thence up with the meanders of same river to the mouth of Charles creek and thence up Charles Creek and the branch of same that heads at the Cranberry road at John B. Kinnison's old Sugar Camp, and thence with said road to the point that divides the waters of West Creek from the waters that run into the McCorkle place, and thence with said divide, keeping the head of the waters that run into the said McCorkle place to a white oak and sugar tree corner to the land of A. M. Edgar and J. W. Kinnison, and with their line to the land of Preston S. Clark, and with said Clark and Edgar's line to James Bright's land and thence with said Bright and Edgar's line to A. S. Clark's land, thence with said Edgar and Clark's line to C. J. Stulting's land and thence with said Clark and Stulting's line to William Burgess' lot, and thence with said Stulting and Burgess' line to the pike, and thence along and across the pike to the corner of M. J. McNeel and Nathaniel Kinnison and with their line to James Jordan land and thence with said Jordan and Kinnison line to James Houlz' land, thence with said Kinnison and Houlz' line to William Kinnison's land, thence with said Houlz and said William Kinnison line to Henry McCoy's land, and thence with McCoy line and Kenny Wade line to Christopher Lewis' line, and with said Lewis to the corner between the lands of David Smith, Dec'd, and Allen Kinnison and with their line to Greenbrier River, and thence a straight line to the forks of Laurel Run just above Allen Coulter's House, and thence with the meanders of the branch that heads against Spice Run to the dividing ridge between said two runs, and thence with said dividing ridge to the top of Beaver Lick Mountain or the Greenbrier County line and thence with the top of said mountain or the Greenbrier line to the corner of the Huntersville district and with several lines given by same to Greenbrier river at the corner of the Edray District and thence with the several lines given by the Edray district line to the County line of Webster County and with same to the county line of Greenbrier and with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house nearest Edray.

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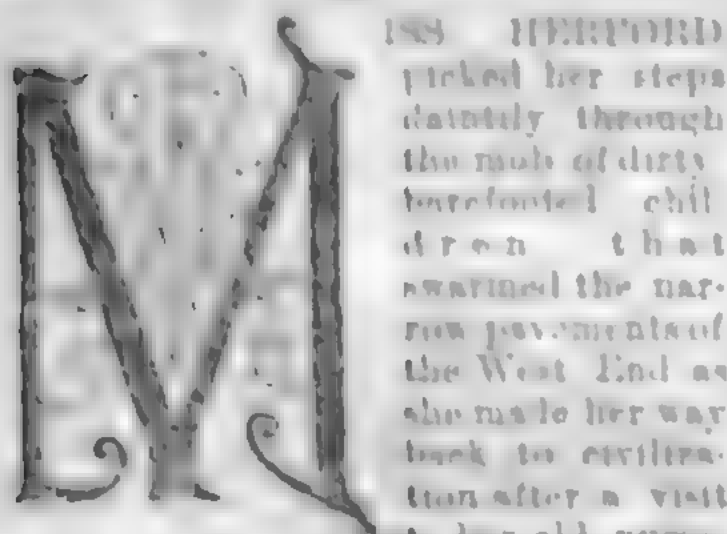
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MISS HERFORD'S PROTEGE.



Miss Herford picked her steps carefully through the mud of dirty barefooted children that swarmed the narrow pavements of the West End as she made her way back to civilization after a visit to her old nurse.

A great, overgrown girl was jumping in and out of some wagons in which the young vagabonds were keeping house with appropriate dirt and disorder.

"Oh! how human beings can exist as these little wretches do is beyond my comprehension," meditated Miss Herford, as she stopped over one and asked another of the youngsters.

Two had fallen out of the cart in the midst of a domestic squabble, and now made the air hideous with their lamentations. With the tears streaming down the grimy, distorted faces, around which the tumbled hair protruded, and with mud-fest foot beating an enraged tattoo on the boards, they seemed to her small

But she suddenly turned in interested surprise; some one was singing. It was but a song of the streets, but the child's voice thrilled it with a subtle sweetness and expression that went at once to the music-worshipping heart of Caroline Herford.

"That's Nora Mulvey singin'," said one of the little vagabonds, scrambling to her feet and wiping her eyes on a very torn dress. "She sings lots of songs. I learned her some."

Miss Herford did not heed the child, but went straight to the old covered cart from whence the music came. The great thirteen-year-old romp was the

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"You are the person who was singing," said Miss Herford, by way of opening to conversation.

"Yes'm," answered the girl, staring in surprise at the stylish young lady who seemed so interested in her music.

"Didn't you ever hear that song before? Patsy taught it to me; maybe you'd like to learn it?"

"No, but I should like to have you sing more for me. Not now," she added, hastily, as the girl made signs of immediately complying with the request.

"Where do you live, Nora?"

"Round in Doolan's court," several of the children chorused.

"Shut up!" snapped Nora, crossly. "Guess I kin answer the lady; it's me she's talkin' to."

Miss Herford shuddered.

"Do you think," she inquired, "your mother would let you come to my house some day to sing?"

"Oh, I ain't got no mother. I live with my Aun' Ann; she wouldn't care."

"Very well, I want you to come. This is my card; it will tell you where I live. And—here is some money."

She slipped a silver half dollar into the girl's palm; she had heard somewhere that the lower classes were very fond of money.

A few days later Miss Herford's black Jerry was astonished by the spectacle of a shabby little girl demanding admittance within their aristocratic portals.

"Is she in?" asked the child, timidly.

Miss Herford was averted by so much

"Where's Doolan's Jerry, son of a—"

"I'll go and get the wrong person."

"But I want to see you, isn't this the person who was singing?"

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She placed Nora, as soon as possible, in a school where capable teachers did their best to supplement the small learning she had acquired by an erratic attendance at the public schools.

She was but an indifferent scholar at best. In music only did she take any interest, or make remarkable progress.

Nora exhibited no enthusiasm. Once or twice she tried to express her gratitude to her benefactress, but Miss Herford promptly repressed her.

Only once did she brighten into something like interest. Miss Herford, to please a friend, had consented that her protegee should sing at a small charitable concert.

In her simple white dress, as she stepped to the front of the stage, Nora made a pretty picture.

"Why," questioned she mentally, "have those rude people come to spoil the concert?"

Something whirled through the air and fell at Nora's feet as she finished the encore. It was a bouquet; a gaudy combination of common flowers, probably bought of some hucksters in the daily market.

Miss Herford spent the remainder of the evening in composing the rather severe speech by which she intended to make known her displeasure to the girl.

"Isn't it beautiful, Miss Herford?" holding the gorgeous flowers toward that lady, who involuntarily shrank back a step.

"Mrs. McCaskey, mum," prompted that individual, with her arms akimbo, and half a dozen or more small McCaskeys staring from behind her skirts.

"Mrs. McCaskey, you have a large family, and doubtless at times you find it difficult to care for your own. What would you say to my taking Nora off your hands?"

"Dude, mum, it's kind o' ye. What say ye, Mike?" to a stolid man who continued at the table, bolting potatoes.

"It's nuthin' to me," he replied. "The child has a home wid us as long as she's a mind to. If she thinks she's better in herself she kin go."

"Nora, what have you to say?" and Miss Herford leaned eagerly forward to hear her reply.

Nora gazed at her uncle. Miss Herford saw that in her face, instinctive way the child was full of him.

"I'd like to go with the lady."

With a wail the last note of the prayer died away. Nora rose from the piano with a sob.

"I'm sorry, Nora, if the music affects you so," said Miss Herford, in her calm, courteous way.

Miss Herford visited the school occasionally. She was pleased with the progress of her work.

She remembered that fearful bouquet. Had Nora disregarded her wishes and continued those old friendships?

"Nora, your nerves are unstrung. I think you had better go to your room. What you have said has pained me greatly."

The girl had risen to her full height. Her clinched hands and flashing eyes contrasted oddly with the tears that rolled down her cheeks.

"Patsy is not a low person, Miss Herford. I mean to marry Patsy. I shall go back to Doolan's court, back to my own people. I am of their order, and they understand and sympathize with me."

Miss Herford was stunned. Before she could speak the girl was gone.

But there was no answer. Were all the years of study, that matchless voice, to be lost? No, it was her duty to the world, to herself, to Nora, to prevent any rash actions.

She rose to go to Nora's room. The door was open, but the girl was not there. She rang the bell and ordered the maid to go and look for her.

"It is too late—too late!" groaned Miss Herford, sinking into a chair.

"Jerry, Miss Nora has gone out—I think to that place. Miss Herford spoke with an effort.

He was gone for hours, but he, too, was unsuccessful. Her aunt said she had not seen her niece.

In the morning she looked mechanically over the papers. Something among the marriage notices caught her eye.

One of the most coveted of invitations this season has been to the terrace of the House of Commons, where on one afternoon lately there were to be seen no less than 200 ladies, in company with wearied legislators, refreshing themselves with tea and talk.

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Well done—The farmer who falls in with hunko men—Philadelphia Call.

Many a fond parent does not get to sleep until after the bowl is over.

Geography Teacher—"Tommy, how is the earth divided?" Tommy—"Er, not at all; cause everybody most wants it all."

"Smith's business is going along like clockwork." "Pooh, his place is in the hands of a receiver."

"Dinkle—"Fanny thing about Noll-rich and his new piano." Dinkle—"Is, eh?" Dinkle—"Yes; plays it by ear and pays for it by note."

Arrival—"Can I put up at this house?" Clerk—"I suppose so. Got any baggage?" Arrival—"No." Clerk—"How much do you want to put up?"

Mrs. Jones—"Is your wife at home, Mr. Wilbur?" Wilbur—"Not certain, but if you'll hold that screen door open half a minute you'll hear from her."

The Consolation of Matrimony: She—"I suppose you would have been happier if you had not married me?" He—"Yes, darling, but I wouldn't have known it."

Prisoner—"But I would rather be a free man than a slave." "That's the trouble with you," said the convict with a grin.

"You seem to like the Colonel, Uncle Mose?" "Yes, sah, he's a gentlemanly, sah." "Gentlemanly, sah, what way?" "With his money, sah."

Tenor—"Sir, this music is a trifle too high for me." Manager—"Let us take it a note lower." Tenor—"Oh, half a note would do."

"Mr. Meteman," said the young wife with great severity to her butcher, "those last eggs you sent me were all spoiled, and unless you change your old hens for new ones I shall be obliged to trade somewhere else."

Random Observer—"Pardon me, but what are you putting down in your note-book?" World's Fair Visitor—"Oh, I'm just putting down the things that have made an indelible impression upon my memory so that I won't forget them."

Freshleigh (to stranger at a reception)—"Oad, this is a funny house! I came here to-night without an invitation."

He was a small man, the conductor of an electric car, and she was a large, powerful looking woman.



























## Election Precincts

By Order of the County Court

State of West Virginia,

County of Pocahontas, to-wit:

At a session of the County Court of said Pocahontas county, held at the court house in said county on the 5th day of January, 1894, being a continuation of the regular session of said court, commencing on the first Tuesday in January, 1894, the said court proceeds, in pursuance of an order of continuance made on the 4th day of October, 1893, to be found of record in the regular "Order Book" of this court, and in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of West Virginia passed February 23, 1893, being Chapter 25 of the Acts of 1893, to divide the four Magisterial Districts of this county, into Election Precincts, establish the number and boundaries of each, and designate the place of holding elections in each of said precincts, which is done as follows:

### District No. 1. (Green Bank)

This district is divided into three precincts numbered and bounded as follow:

Precinct No. 1. Commencing at the county line between this county and Randolph on Cheat Mountain, west of David Hevener's and running a straight line to the dividing line between David Hevener and Jas. H. Gum thence a straight line to the ford south of G. W. and U. riah Phillips on the county road leading from Green Bank to Traveler's Rest thence a straight line to the intersection of the Ridge road with the Staunton and Parkersburg turnpike and with said road to the State Line between Virginia and West Virginia, thence with said line to the line between Pocahontas and Pendleton counties, thence with the line between said Pocahontas and Pendleton counties to the line between Randolph and Pocahontas counties thence with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house nearest Traveler's Rest.

Precinct no. 2. Commencing at a point on the line between the counties of Pocahontas and Randolph and west of the McLaughlin church on Back Alleghany Mountain, thence to said church, thence to a point 5 rods south of Allen Gallards residence, thence to a point on the Huntersville & Green Bank road midway between the cross roads school house and Driscoll's old lumber camp above Harry M. Moore's, thence to Glade Hill school house, thence due east to the line between the States of Virginia and West Virginia on top of Alleghany Mountain, thence northward along the line between said States to the corner on said line of election precinct no. 1, and thence with the line of precinct no. one to the line between Pocahontas and Randolph counties, and thence with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the village of Green Bank.

Precinct no. 3. Commencing at same point as precinct no. 2, thence eastward with the lines of said precinct to the line between the States of Virginia and West Virginia, thence southward along the line between said States to the corner on said line of the Green Bank and Huntersville districts, thence westward with the line between said districts to the corner of said line between Edray and Green Bank districts, thence with line of said districts to the line between the counties of Randolph and Pocahontas.

Precinct no. 1. Commencing on Green Bank at the upper end of the John J. Kellison place, thence a straight line to the Lewisburg and Martins Bottom turnpike on the division line between J. S. Moore and Clathorn McNeel, and thence with their line to dividing ridge and with said ridge (or divide) to the head of Mount in Lick Run and down same to Beaver dam and down same to a birch and 2 pines by said creek, corner to a survey of 2630 acres made for Paul McNeel on the twenty sixth day of May, 1890, and with same N. 54° W. 108 poles to 2 birches on the east side of Black Mountain by a cliff of rocks, corner to McNeel and Edmiston survey of 5943 acres, and thence with said line between said survey of 5943 acres and a survey of 2850 acres made for Paul McNeel and John Yeager to a point due west of the mouth of Day Run, thence leaving said road and running due east to the mouth of said Run, thence a straight line through the first low place to the top of the Big Knob on Day's Mountain, thence to Levi Gay's barn on the Griffin place, thence to Mrs. Nancy Ratliff's barn, thence to the mouth of Ratliff's Run on Stony Creek, thence with said creek to the mouth of the Indian Draft, thence to Gibson's stone quarry, thence to a large rock on the east side of Greenbrier river above Geo. Gibson's house, thence a straight line to a large rock with a waterfall by the road and one half mile from Greenbrier bridge at Marlinton, thence a straight line crossing Kapp's Creek to an island below the Joshua Buckley landing, thence down the river and with the same to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the town of Marlinton.

Precinct no. 2. Commencing at a large rock on Greenbrier above Geo. Gibson's house and corner to precinct no. 1, and with line of the same to Gibson's stone quarry, thence to the mouth of Indian Draft on Stony Creek, thence with said creek to the mouth of Ratliff's Run, thence to Mrs. Ratliff's barn thence to Levi Gay's barn on the Griffin place, thence to the top of "Big Knob" on Day's Mountain, thence crossing at the first low place to the mouth of Day's Run, thence due west to the district line on a 2850 acre survey made for Paul McNeel and John Yeager, and following said lines to the Webster county line, thence running northward with the Pocahontas county line to the Gauley river, thence running up said river to its head, thence a straight line to Gibson's cattle scales by the side of the Martins Bottom and Huntersville turnpike, thence a straight line to a point two poles south of the residence of Jas. Gibson, Jr., thence a straight line to a point two poles south of the residence of Clark Rider, thence to a point on top of the mountain where the road crosses to same, thence following the top of the mountain to a point two poles north of the house on A. M. McLaughlin's land, thence following the top of the mountain and the divide of the waters to a point hereafter mentioned in boundary of precinct no. 3 as the intersection of the line of top of Clover Lick Mountain with the line made running westward on same direction as division line between lands of Isaac Shinnaberry and Abraham Shinnaberry, thence eastward a long line of precinct no. three to the lower corner, thence to the Poage school house, thence with the public road to the the beginning of precinct no. three, thence with Greenbrier river to a large rock on east side of river above Geo. Gibson's house, the beginning.

Shinnaberry with their line to Clover creek mountain and continuing same direction to top of same, thence following the top of the mountain with divide of the waters to a point two poles north of the house on A. M. McLaughlin's land, thence following same top to where the road crosses the said mountain, thence down the hollow to a point two poles south of Clark Rider's residence, thence a straight line to a point two poles south of the residence of James Gibson, Jr., thence a straight line to Gibson's cattle scales on the Martins Bottom and Huntersville turnpike, thence a straight line to the head of Gauley river, thence with said river to the western county line of Pocahontas county, thence northwardly along said line and around with the same and common line of Magisterial District No. 2 to where said line crosses Cheat river, corner of Magisterial District No. 1, thence in a southerly direction to the head of Glade Run, thence a straight line to the low place in a ridge west of Barnett's, thence a straight line to the mouth of Clover creek, thence to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this Precinct shall be at the Public School House nearest Split Rock.

### District, No. 3 (Huntersville.)

This District is divided into two precincts numbered and bounded as follows:

Precinct No. 1. Commencing at a point on Greenbrier river opposite Paul Sharp's, thence a straight line running eastward to a point 10 rods North of W. H. Dilley's residence, thence a straight line to a point 10 rods South of Gratton Weiford's residence, thence a straight line to a point 10 rods north of Samuel Harper's mill, thence a straight line to the Virginia and West Virginia line, thence northward with said line to the line dividing the Green Bank and Huntersville Districts, thence with said line to the mouth of Clover creek, and thence with the Edray and Huntersville districts line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this Precinct shall be at the Public school house at Frost.

Precinct No. 2. Commencing at same point as Precinct No. 1, thence with the lines of said Precinct No. 1 to the line between the States of Virginia and West Virginia, thence Southward with lines between said States to the corner of line between Greenbrier and Pocahontas counties, thence with the County line between said counties to the district line between the Little Levels and Huntersville Districts, thence with said line to the line between the Edray and Huntersville Districts and with the same to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this Precinct shall be at the Public School House in the town of Huntersville.

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Precinct no. 2. Commencing at a point where Cranberry River crosses the greenbrier county line (the place where the first precinct begins) and with the greenbrier county line to the road known as the Nicholas road and with the meanders of said road to where it intersects the road leading from Hillsboro to Lobelia, and thence with the last mentioned road (in the direction of Lobelia) to where the road intersects coming up the Droop Mountain, thence with the meanders of the last mentioned road to the pike, thence with the pike to the greenbrier county line thence with the said line to the corner of the first Election precinct on the top of Beaver Lick mountain, and thence with the lines of the first election precinct as heretofore given to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the town of Hillsboro.

Precinct No. 3. Commencing where said Nicholas road crosses the Greenbrier county line, and with the several lines of said Greenbrier county to where they cross the pike corner to the 2nd Election Precinct, and thence with the several lines given in the said Election Precinct to the beginning, And the place of holding elections in the Precinct shall be at the Public School House nearest Lobelia. And the Clerk of this Court is required to furnish for immediate publication an attested copy of this to the Editor of the "Pocahontas Times," the only newspaper published in this County and post an attested copy thereof at the front door of the Court House of this County, and cause all other notices required by section 6, Chapter 25, of the Acts of the Legislature for the year 1893, to be posted as required in said section.

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## Election Precincts

By Order of the County Court

State of West Virginia,

County of Pocahontas, to wit:

At a session of the County Court of said Pocahontas county, held at the Court House in Marlinton, on the 9th day of January, 1894, being a continuation of the regular session of said court, commencing on the first Tuesday in January, 1894, the said court proceeds, in pursuance of an order of continuance made on the 4th day of October, 1893, to be found of record in the regular "Order Book" of this court, and in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of West Virginia passed February 23, 1893, being Chapter 25 of the Acts of 1893, to divide the four Magisterial Districts of this, the said Pocahontas county, into Election Precincts, establish the number and boundaries of each, and designate the place of holding elections in each of said precincts, which is done as follows:

District No. 1. (Green Bank)

This district is divided into three precincts numbered and bounded as follows:

Precinct No. 1. Commencing at the county line between this county and Randolph on Cheat Mountain, west of David Havenner's and running a straight line to the dividing line between David Havenner and Jas. H. Gum, thence a straight line to the ford south of G. W. and U. R. Phillips on the county road leading from Green Bank to Traveler's Repose, thence a straight line to the intersection of the Ridge road with the Staunton and Parkersburg turnpike and with said road to the State Line between Virginia and West Virginia, thence with said line to the line between Pocahontas and Pendleton counties, thence with the line between said Pocahontas and Pendleton counties to the line between Randolph and Pocahontas counties thence with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house nearest Traveler's Repose.

Precinct No. 2. Commencing at a point on the line between the counties of Pocahontas and Randolph and west of the McLaughlin church on Back Alleghany Mountain, thence to said church, thence to a point 5 rods south of Allen Gallford's residence, thence to a point on the Huntersville & Green Bank road midway between the cross roads school house and Driscoll's old lumber camp above Harry M. Moore's, thence to Glade Hill school house, thence due east to the line between the States of Virginia and West Virginia on top of Alleghany Mountain, thence northward along the line between said States to the corner on said line of election precinct no. 1, and thence with the line of precinct no. one to the line between Pocahontas and Randolph counties, and thence with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the village of Green Bank.

Precinct no. 3. Commencing at same point as precinct no. 2, thence eastward with the lines of said precinct to the line between the States of Virginia and West Virginia, thence southward along the line between said States to the corner on said line of the Green Bank and Huntersville districts, thence westward with the line between said districts to the corner of said line between Edray and Green Bank districts, thence with line of said districts to the line between the counties of Randolph and Pocahontas, thence northward with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the village of Dunmore.

District No. 2. (Edray).

This District is divided into three precincts numbered and bounded as follows:

Precinct no. 1. Commencing on Green Bank at the upper end of the John J. Kellison place, thence a straight line to the Lewisburg and Martins Bottom turnpike on the division line between J. S. Moore and Claiborn McNeill, and thence with their line to dividing ridge and with said ridge (or divide) to the head of Mount in Lick Run and down same to a birch and a piece by said creek, corner to a survey of 2650 acres made for Paul McNeil on the twenty sixth day of May, 1890, and with same N. 34 W. 108 poles to a birch on the east side of Black Mountain by a cliff of rocks, corner to McNeil and Edmiston survey of 5943 acres, and thence with said line between said survey of 5943 acres and a survey of 2850 acres made for Paul McNeil and John Yeager to a point due west of the mouth of Day Run, thence leaving said road and running due east to the mouth of said Run, thence a straight line through the first low place to the top of the Big Knob on Day's Mountain, thence to Levi Gay's barn on the Griffin place, thence to Mrs. Nancy Ruhl's barn, thence to the mouth of Rath's Run on Stony Creek, thence with said creek to the mouth of the Indian Draft, thence to Gibson's stone quarry, thence to a large rock on the east side of Greenbrier river above Geo. Gibson's house, thence a straight line to a large rock with a waterfall by the road about one-half mile from Greenbrier bridge at Marlinton, thence a straight line crossing Kappa Creek, to an island below the Johnia Buckley landing, thence down the river and with the same to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the town of Marlinton.

Precinct no. 2. Commencing at a large rock on Greenbrier above Geo. Gibson's house and corner to precinct no. 1, and with line of the same to Gibson's stone quarry, thence to the mouth of Indian Draft on Stony Creek, thence with said creek to the mouth of Rath's Run, thence to Mr. Ballitt's barn thence to Levi Gay's barn on the Griffin place, thence to the top of "Big Knob" on Days Mountain, thence crossing at the first low place to the mouth of Day's run, thence due west to the district line on a 2850 acre survey made for Paul McNeil and John Yeager, and following said lines to the Webster county line, thence running northward with the Pocahontas county line to the Gauley river, thence running up said river to its head, thence a straight line to Gibson's cattle scales by the side of the Martins Bottom and Huntersville turnpike, thence a straight line to a point two poles south of the residence of Jas. Gibson, Jr., thence a straight line to a point two poles south of the residence of Clark Rider, thence to a point on top of the mountain where the road crosses to same, thence following the top of the mountain to a point two poles north of the house on A. M. McLaughlin's land, thence following the top of the mountain and the divide of the waters to a point hereinafter mentioned in boundary of precinct no. 3 as the intersection of the line of top of Clover Lick Mountain with the line made running westward on same direction as division line between lands of Isaac Shumeberry and Abraham Shumeberry, thence eastward a long line of precinct no. three to the lower corner, thence to the Poage school house, thence with the public road to the the beginning of precinct no. three, thence with Greenbrier river to a large rock on east side of river above Geo. Edgar's place, the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house nearest Edray.

Precinct No. 3;—Commencing at the ford of the river near the mouth of Clover creek; thence with the road to the Poage school house, thence to the lower corner between the lands of Isaac and Abraham

Shumeberry with their line on

Clover creek mountain and continuing same direction to top of same, thence following the top of the mountain with divide of the water to a point two poles north of the house on A. M. McLaughlin's land, thence following same top of mountain, thence down the hollow to a point two poles south of Clark Rider's residence, thence a straight line to a point two poles south of the residence of James Gibson, Jr., thence a straight line to Gibson's cattle scales on the Martins Bottom and Huntersville turnpike, thence a straight line to the head of Gauley river, thence with said river to the western county line of Pocahontas county, thence northwardly along said line and around with the same and common line of Magisterial District No. 2 to where said line crosses Cheat river, corner of Magisterial District No. 1, thence in a southerly direction to the head of Glade Run, thence a straight line to the low place in a ridge west of Barnett's, thence a straight line to the mouth of Clover creek, thence to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this Precinct shall be at the Public School House nearest Split Rock.

District, No. 3 (Huntersville.)

This District is divided into two precincts numbered and bounded as follows:

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Precinct No. 2.—Commencing at same point as Precinct No. 1, thence with the lines of said Precinct No. 1 to the line between the States of Virginia and West Virginia, thence Southward with lines between said States to the corner of line between Greenbrier and Pocahontas counties, thence with the County line between said counties to the district line between the Little Levels and Huntersville Districts, thence with said line to the line between the Edray and Huntersville Districts and with the same to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this Precinct shall be at the Public School House in the town of Huntersville.

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thence along and across the pike to the corner of M. J. McNeil and Nathaniel Kinnison and with their line to James Jordan land and thence with said Jordan and Kinnison line to James Howl's land, thence with said Kinnison and Howl's line to William Kinnison's land, thence with said Howl's and said William Kinnison line to Henry McCoy's land and thence with McCoy's line and Kenny Wade line to Christopher Lewis' line, and with said Lewis to the corner between the lands of David Smith, Deed, and Allen Kinnison and with their line to Greenbrier River and thence a straight line to the forks of Laurel Run just above Allen Coulter's House, and thence with the meanders of the branch that heads against spire Run to the dividing ridge between said two runs, and thence with said dividing ridge to the top of Beaver Lick Mountain or the Greenbrier County line and thence with the top of said mountain or the Greenbrier line to the corner of the Huntersville district and with several lines given by same to Greenbrier river at the corner of the Edray District and thence with the several lines given by the Edray district line to the County line of Webster County and with same to the county line of Greenbrier and with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house nearest the town of Mill Point.

Precinct no. 2 Commencing at a point where Cranberry River crosses the greenbrier county line (the place where the first precinct begins) and with the greenbrier county line to the road known as the Nicholas road and with the meanders of said road to where it intersects the road leading from Hillsboro to Lobelia, and thence with the last mentioned road (in the direction of Lobelia) to where the road intersects coming up the Droop Mountain, thence with the meanders of the last mentioned road to the pike, thence with the pike to the greenbrier county line thence with the said line to the corner of the first Election precinct on the top of Beaver Lick Mountain, and thence with the lines of the first election precinct as heretofore given to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the town of Hillsboro.

Precinct No. 3.—Commencing where said Nicholas road crosses the Greenbrier county line, and with the several lines of said Greenbrier county to where they cross the pike corner to the 2nd Election Precinct, and thence with the several lines given in the said Election Precinct to the beginning, —And the place of holding elections in the Precinct shall be at the Public School House nearest Lobelia. And the Clerk of this Court is required to furnish for immediate publication an attested copy of this to the Editor of the "Pocahontas Times," the only newspaper published in this County and post an attested copy thereof at the front door of the Court House of this County, and cause all other notices required by section 6, Chapter 25, of the Acts of the Legislature for the year 1893, to be posted as required in said section.

G. M. KEE,

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S. L. BROWN, CTV.

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For information of the public, I have been appointed by the Court to sell the property of the late J. H. Brown, deceased, at public sale, on the 1st day of February, 1894, at the Court House in Marlinton, West Virginia.

**Geo. H. Moore and Geo. H. Moore,** Auctioneers.

## Election Precincts

By Order of the County Court

State of West Virginia,

County of Pocahontas, to-wit:

At a session of the County Court held at the Court House in Marlinton, on the 5th day of January, 1894, being a continuation of the regular session of said court, commencing on the first Tuesday in January, 1894, the said court proceeded, in pursuance of an order of continuance made on the 4th day of October, 1893, to be found of record in the regular "Order Book" of this court, and in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of West Virginia passed February 23, 1893, being Chapter 25 of the Acts of 1893, to divide the four Magisterial Districts of this county, the said Pocahontas county, into Election Precincts, establish the number and boundaries of each, and designate the place of holding elections in each of said precincts, which is done as follows:

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Precinct no. 2. Commencing at a point on the line between the counties of Pocahontas and Randolph and west of the McLoughlin church on Back Alleghany Mountain, thence to said church, thence to a point 5 rods south of Allen Gallford's residence, thence to a point on the Huntersville & Green Bank road midway between the cross roads school house and Driscoll's old lumber camp above Harry M. Moore's, thence due east to the line between the States of Virginia and West Virginia on top of Alleghany Mountain, thence northward along the line between said States to the corner on said line of election precinct no. 1, and thence with the line of precinct no. one to the line between Pocahontas and Randolph counties, and thence with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the village of Green Bank.

Precinct no. 3. Commencing at same point as precinct no. 2, thence eastward with the lines of said precinct to the line between the States of Virginia and West Virginia, thence southward along the line between said States to the corner on said line of the Green Bank and Huntersville districts, thence westward with the line between said districts to the corner of said line between Edray and Green Bank districts thence with line of said districts to the line between the counties of Randolph and Pocahontas, thence northward with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the village of Huntersville.

Precinct no. 1. Commencing on Greenbrier at the upper end of the John J. Kellison place, thence a straight line to the Lewisburg and Martins Bottom turnpike on the division line between J. S. Moore and Claiborn McNeill, and thence with their line to dividing ridge and with said ridge (or divide) to the head of Mount Lick Run and down same to Beaver dam and down same to a birch and a pine by said creek, corner to a survey of 2650 acres made for Paul McNeel on the twenty sixth day of May, 1890, and with said N. 34 W. 108 poles to a birch on the east side of Black Mountain by a cliff of rocks, corner to McNeel and Edmiston survey of 3943 acres, and thence with said line between said survey, of 3943 acres and a survey of 2850 acres made for Paul McNeel and John Yeager to a point due west of the mouth of Day Run, thence leaving said line and running due east to the mouth of said Run, thence a straight line through the first low place to the top of the Big Knob on Day's Mountain, thence to Levi Gay's barn on the Griffin place, thence to Mrs. Nancy Raul's barn, thence to the mouth of Rath's Run on Stony Creek, thence with said creek to the mouth of the Indian Draft, thence to Gibson's stone quarry, thence to large rock on the east side of Greenbrier river above Geo. Gibson's house, thence a straight line to a large rock with a water fall by the road and one half mile from Greenbrier bridge at Marlinton, thence a straight line crossing Kapp's Creek to an island below the Joshua Buckley landing, thence down the river and with the same to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the town of Marlinton.

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Shinnaberry with their line on Clover creek mountain and continuing same direction to top of same, thence following the top of the mountain with divide of the waters to a point two poles north of the house on A. M. McLaughlin's land, thence following same top of mountain, thence down the hollow to a point two poles south of Clark Rider's residence, thence a straight line to a point two poles south of the residence of James Gibson, Jr., thence a straight line to Gibson's cattle scales on the Martins Bottom and Huntersville turnpike, thence a straight line to the head of Gauley river, thence with said river to the western county line of Pocahontas county, thence northwardly along said line and around with the same and common line of Magisterial District No. 2 to where said line crosses Cheat river, corner of Magisterial District No. 1, thence in a southerly direction to the head of Glade Run, thence a straight line to the low place in a ridge west of Barnett's, thence a straight line to the mouth of Clover creek, thence to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this Precinct shall be at the Public School House nearest Split Rock.

### District, No 3 (Huntersville.)

This District is divided into two precincts numbered and bounded as follows:

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thence along and across the pike to the corner of M. J. McNeel and Nathaniel Kinnison and with their line to James Jordan land and thence with said Jordan land and Kinnison line to James Houl's land, thence with said Kinnison and Houl's line to William Kinnison's land, thence with said Houl's and said William Kinnison line to Henry McCoy's land and thence with McCoy line and Kenny Wade line to Christopher Lewis's line, and with said Lewis to the corner between the lands of David Smith, Dec'd, and Allen Kinnison, and with their line to Greenbrier River and thence a straight line to the forks of Laurel Run just above Allen Coulter's House, and thence with the meanders of the branch that heads against spire Run to the dividing ridge between said two runs, and thence with said dividing ridge to the top of Beaver Lick Mountain or the Greenbrier County line and thence with the top of said mountain or the Greenbrier line to the corner of the Huntersville district and with several lines given by same to Greenbrier river at the corner of the Edray District and thence with the several lines given by the Edray district line to the County line of Webster County and with same to the county line of greenbrier and with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house nearest the town of Mill Point.

Precinct no. 2. Commencing at a point where Cranberry River crosses the greenbrier county line (the place where the first precinct begins) and with the greenbrier county line to the road known as the Nicholas road and with the meanders of said road to where it intersects the road leading from Hillsboro to Lobelia, and thence with the last mentioned road (in the direction of Lobelia) to where the road intersects coming up the Droop Mountain, thence with the meanders of the last mentioned road to the pike, thence with the pike to the greenbrier county line thence with the said line to the corner of the first Election precinct on the top of Beaver Lick mountain, and thence with the lines of the first election precinct as heretofore given to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the town of Hillsboro.

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G. M. KEE,  
AMOS BARLOW,  
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S. L. BROWN, CLE.

—The breaking strain of an inch rope is 9000 pounds.

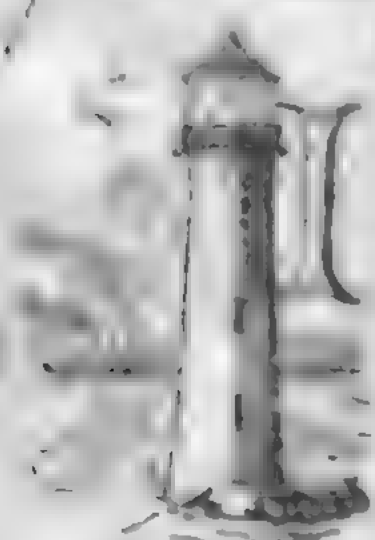
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# THE SEA'S FOOD.

EXHIBIT OF THE FISH COMMISSION.  
SUN AT THE FAIR.

Various Fish-Catching Appliances in  
Harbor Years and at the Present  
Time. The Hardy New Bed.  
Food Whalers.



At the exhibit of the United States Fish Commission in the Government Building, says the Chicago Record, is shown the practical progress of the fishery of the sea. The first thing that strikes the eye of the sight-seer on entering the Government Building from the north to a whaling boat fully equipped for service on the sea. The Hardy Fisherman of New England, a potent factor in the early development of the country, is given his due. In cases all about are exhibited the also original instruments used in fishing in contrast with the modern. The long hooks and fish-skin lines which the Indian used hundreds of years before the first settler built his hut are fixed on the walls with the burnished looks and oak lines just from the factory.

The evolution of things piscatorial has kept in line with the evolution of the trades and sciences of the world. The exhibit of the Fish Commission has been arranged so as to emphasize this fact. Just as improvements in boats were made the lot of the fisherman was made happier. Years ago, when the Frenchmen first came to the coast of Newfoundland and spread their nets on the great banks, they sailed in vessels the general appearance of which resembled a modern canalboat, such as carry coal on the Erie canal. They were carved-built and had full convex bows, strongly raking, of round, full bilge. The quarter deck was high and the average length of the queer craft over all was about forty feet.

and the support to the British Government to their rivals out of the fishing grounds.

The whalers of New Bedford are not forgotten by the commission. The most interesting part of the exhibit is devoted to the equipments of whaling vessels. A whaleboat fully accoutred is placed near the center of the exhibit of the commission. Over the doorway a whaler with harpoon leveled ready to hurl stands in the prow of his yawl. On the lookout, high on the mainmast, stands a whaler with telescope in hand looking over the waters for the



A STILL FISHER.

"spout" of a whale. Two decades ago New Bedford was the greatest whaling station in the world. Now there is only the memory of bustling streets. A strong odor of fish pervades the place, and all along the streets, paved with cobble stones in the fishermen's part of the town, are gates made of whale's jaws and garlands adorned with ivory teeth.

Nearly all of the exhibits of the whalers come from New Bedford. There are harpoons and harpoon guns invented by famous old captains of whaling barks about which linger long "yaws" of varying degrees of voracity and improbability. The old whaling vessel which sailed from New Bedford in years gone by has undergone a complete change. Now the vessels start from San Francisco for the Arctic Sea, where the whale abides. They are

tion to the Government. The hooks are adapted to halibut fishing.

The lines are strung, made of kelp, called Nereocystis luthiens for easy reference by scientific men. The hooks are made of two shank of wood, lashed together at the ends. Iron harbs are fastened to the end of one shank and the other shank is rudely carved in the likeness of a fish. Some of the hooks are made of shark's teeth, some of splinters and others of hemlock knots. The materials used are of the simplest kind. The iron harbs, or the sharp teeth, are lashed on with strips of white cherry. One kind of line is made of spruce root and is very durable. The slinging gear and the snood of the more recent halibut fishing instruments are made of tarred cotton, with slot swivels, hemm gangings and galvanized iron hooks. By the aborigines even walrus whiskers are utilized in the manufacture of gangings. The sinkers were made of ivory and the lines of strips of whalebone.

A gruff old sea captain from Provincetown on Cape Cod stroked his long gray beard and spent an hour at the cabinet where was exhibited the lines and hooks of the old cod-fishers. Provincetown is the home of homes for the fishermen of the Atlantic coast. It is ultima thule of every codfish that swims in Vineyard sound or the bay to the West. The lines are rough-looking and the hooks are of no recently improved pattern. But they book fish. Captain Lemuel Cook sent a line to the exhibit which he used from 1812 to 1830. He is a famous old fisherman, known from Hyannisport to the far side of Nantucket. The old man from Provincetown talked with a strong flavor of codfish and his voice was a husky sea voice. He looked with contempt at the display of silk lines, nickel-plated sinkers and burnished hooks. "I tell you what," he said, "that air not so many codfish caught nowadays as that was when Lem. Cook and all of us had our way. There air too many steamships and no easy times like we used to have."

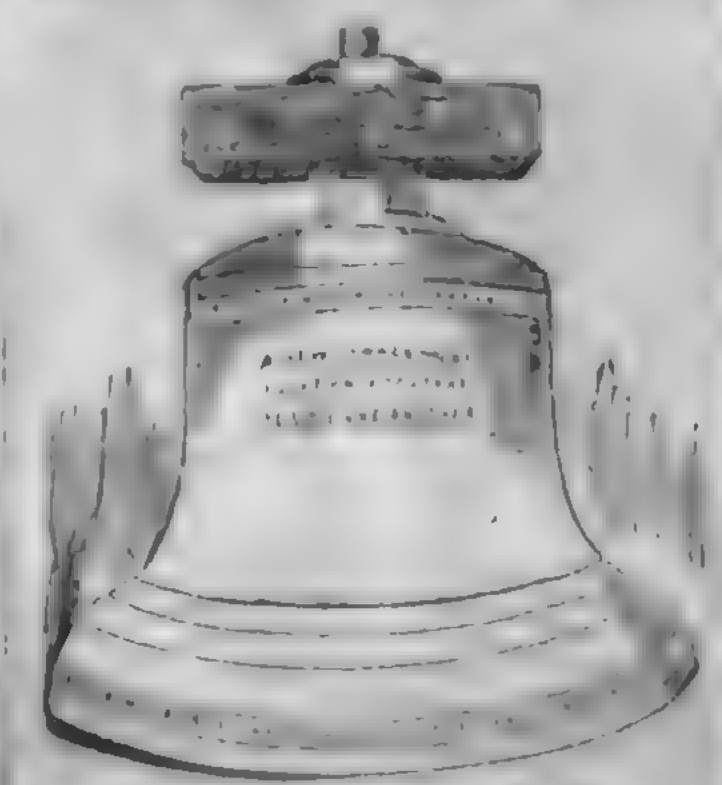
From the single hatch bedarka of the Alaskan natives, built of driftwood and covered with the skin of a female sealion, to the new fishing craft designed by Captain Collins of the commission, is a long step. The evolution of the fishing craft is pictured in a cabinet just south of the north entrance to the Government building. The first of the fishing vessels which came to America was the Sparrow Hawk, which met an untimely end off Cape Cod. She sailed across the water in 1626, struck a reef and went to the bottom. Her old hull, which had been embedded in the sands for nearly two and a half centuries, was uncovered in 1833 and put on exhibition in Boston Common.

The steamers Albatross and Fish Hawk, which are in the service of the United States commission, are the latest models of the fishing vessel. Captain Collins's model is of a fishing schooner of moderate dimensions and is being largely copied on both coasts. Its hull is built after the model of a racing yacht and the rigging is adapted to the needs of a fishing vessel. It combines the speed qualities of a yacht and the seaworthiness of a fishing schooner. Safety is also taken into consideration.

The United States is far ahead of the Nations of the world in maintaining a fish commission and caring for its fishermen. A museum has been established devoted to ichthyology, and the steamers of the fish commission cruise all along the coasts of the United States to collect specimens of fish life. Hatcheries have been established in all the States of the Union and every year the work grows in its scope.

## Liberty's New Bell.

The Columbian liberty bell has gone to the World's Fair. The bell is six feet in height, seven feet six inches in diameter at the mouth and weighs 13,000 pounds. The



THE NEW COLUMBIAN BELL.

designer and builder was 700 pounds, and when placed on the hammer, the bell will ring with a clear, full tone. The bell is made of the finest material and is perfectly true in all parts of the globe. Around the top of the bell is a band of the most beautiful gold and silver, and the bell is set in a magnificent frame of the same material. The bell is a masterpiece of art and science, and it is a fitting tribute to the memory of the great American people.



## WASHES FOR TREES.

The application of washes to keep the borer from trees may be effectual, though we never knew of one that was invariably so, and we should prefer to trust to making a careful inspection from two to four times a year, and then a wire up the hole where the borer had entered than to any of them. In six months it will not get far enough beneath the bark to do any injury, and its presence should not escape observation more than one inspection. If washes are used, the examination should not be neglected, as there may be some place that was not touched where the moth can lodge long enough to deposit her egg.—Boston Cultivator.

## INSPECTION IN CATTLE.

Among the results of long-continued dry weather and an absence of green food is impaction of the omasum or third stomach in horned cattle. Obstinate constipation is indicated by a grunt as of pain, loss of end, persistent refusal to lie down, more or less tympany, grinding of teeth, staring coat and dazed look about the eyes. There is so much accompanying fever that the grunt is often mistaken for pleuro-pneumonia in the early stages.

In treating the disease, plenty of drinking water is essential, and an aperient should be administered and the food should be of a laxative nature. Bullocks once affected by this disease should not be exposed to its causes a second time, as they would then probably develop chronic indigestion.—New York World.

## CLEAN THE WAGONS FREQUENTLY.

Any vehicle that is allowed to remain spattered with mud for weeks and months is wrongly treated. The luster of the varnish rapidly deadens, the oil is absorbed from the paint, and when the dirt is removed by washing, the vehicle presents a grimy appearance. Driving a wagon covered with mud when the roads are in good condition presents to the observer that you either are shiftless or extremely busy. However if you are busy with your work, and of course attending to it, for the money or profit to be gained thereby, you would find it a paying investment to spend an hour's time in removing the mud, also properly oiling the axles of both heavy and light vehicles. In washing a wagon it is best to apply water to the muddy surface several moments before the sponge is used. If a force pump or hose can be used most of the dirt can be thus removed, and will not scratch the surface, as the sand on a sponge or rag will do.—American Agriculturist.

## IS SALT NECESSARY FOR CATTLE?

The first thing to be said in favor of common salt is that it is nature's vermifuge and very destructive to all, or nearly all, intestinal parasites. All herb and grain eating animals are preyed upon by such parasites, especially when enfeebled by hard work, exposure to cold storms, or want of nourishing food; in fact, anything that enfeebles invites the attacks of internal parasites, for, while they are always present in some form, the healthy and vigorous animal is able to resist their attacks. It is true that horses, cattle, sheep, and other domesticated animals may live and thrive, apparently, without receiving salt in its crude form, but this does not prove that they have been benefited in any way by being deprived of saline ration. What animals may endure and live no doubt is of greater interest to some men than the opposite conditions, and they are usually prone to make experiments in the way of exposure to cold storms, and short rations when shelter and full rations would greatly conduce to the health and happiness of their stock. Salt gives rapidity and relish to hay, grasses, and other kinds of raw food. It acts universally as a stimulus to digestion, renders coarse food more nourishing, and tamed food less insipid, and often results the appetite more quickly than any other time. Wild horses, cattle, and sheep, as well as all other herbivorous animals, seek salt licks and saline marshes and ponds where they can satisfy their natural desire for salt. When animals are kept in confinement or removed to localities where they cannot get to salt springs, they should be given an equivalent in the form of common dry salt.—New York Sun.

## HOUSEHOLD REFRIGERATOR.

A fresh and easy way of obtaining a reliable and available form, all the needed elements of plant food. All these things, phosphorus and other things, are obtained from the earth, and the most abundant by cultivation, and therefore the most numerous. If the farmer will take care to select a reliable and available form of these things, he will find that they will be of great use to him in his work, and that they will be of great use to him in his work, and that they will be of great use to him in his work.

phosphoric acid to make up for the loss of these elements occasioned by cultivation and cropping. The farmer can do this much for his soil by several economic methods. Humus, or decaying and decayed organic matter, is most readily and cheaply supplied by growing upon the soil and turning under such green crops as clover and field peas. Every farmer knows the value of these. But it is not everyone that utilizes them to the extent that he should. In place of the green crops, or as an adjunct thereto, let him also make liberal use of forest mold and litter. These should form the bulk of every compost heap, and the bedding for all his live stock.

Of potash and phosphoric acid, the best and richest home source is wood ashes. Only apply a moderate dressing of ashes about once every ten years, and any soil, other things being favorable, will remain fertile. Any farmer, if he will, can obtain, by home means, enough unleached ashes to top-dress at least one field annually, and so rotate around until finally all are thus treated. Wherever there are logs and dead timber, and turf, sods and rubbish generally upon a farm, there are the materials for the ash supply. It is a fact not as well known as it should be, that burnt and smoke-impregnated soil, turf, peat, clay or muck is, of itself, a valuable and lasting fertilizer. During the leisure spells, when the woods are not so dry as to render the escape of fire probable, the farmer should be burning the waste material of the farm, in order to increase the stock of ashes. After the logs and large timber are well on fire, let him throw on whatever turf, sods or leaves may be convenient to the pile, making the fires with that end in view. Of course this burnt dirt substitute for ashes is not as good a fertilizer as pure ashes, but mixed with ashes, it is a good and lasting manure, and it increases the bulk of ashes, enabling the farmer to get enough annually to top-dress at least one field. This form of ashes makes a capital top-dressing for clover, grass, small fruits, vine yards, orchards and fields of grain on any soil needing potash.—American Agriculturist.

## FARM AND GARDEN NOTES.

Mix a little charcoal in the soft feed.  
Langshans do better if permitted a large range.  
Half a dozen chicks are a fair hatch from thirteen eggs.  
Never get your stale eggs mixed with your fresh ones.  
If you wish your eggs to sell well, sort them as to color.  
It is better to give the milk to the chickens before it sours.  
Light Brahmas, like all great scratchers, are a hardy fowl.  
Spray the poultry house occasionally with the Bordeaux mixture.  
It will pay to thoroughly fit the ground before you put in the seed.  
Draughts are very apt to bring on attacks of roup in the poultry yard.  
Fowls need as careful and intelligent breeding as sheep or any other kind of stock.  
Give your poultry plenty of fresh air and clean, cool water during the hot weather.  
It costs just as much to keep a poor animal (and sometimes more) than it does a good one.  
Do not attempt to raise chickens in a breeder unless you are going to see to the temperature regularly.  
Fowls are very fond of mustard, which is one of the best and cheapest green foods that can be grown.  
A person does not get rich very fast by running in debt for everything. Cents make the dimes and dimes make the dollars.  
If you want eggs you must not permit your hens to get fat, neither must you keep them hungry. Keep to the golden mean.

Ducks allowed to swim in cold water become stiff and rheumatic. Pekin ducks are considered peculiarly sensitive to cold and dampness.

The great loss of young turkeys is due to the large gray lice, which work on the heads and throats, but which cannot be seen except by a close examination.

It is not necessary to have a palatial residence on the farm, but it is necessary in many ways than one to make your house and home as pleasant and attractive as you can.

There is a kind of sheep that the farmer can raise that the wool is of high quality, and that the meat is of high quality. It is a pity that a man cannot have a flock of sheep that are as good as the best, and that are as cheap as the worst.

If you are so made that you have to have a large flock of sheep, you will find that it is not so easy as it seems to have a flock of sheep that are as good as the best, and that are as cheap as the worst.

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OLD WHALING BOAT IN GOVERNMENT BUILDING.

This was in the early part of the seventeenth century, long before the rubber coat, or tarpaulin, was heard of. Then the fishermen stood in tube for protection against the waves, and a strip of canvas was placed along the deck, which served as a wind-break. In those days the fishermen had a hard time of it. Their quiet little settlements on the coast of Newfoundland were always in danger. In all the Nations of fishermen up to the present time each year some of the settlements are destroyed. The yaws of the caravels of Columbus were identical with

steamers of improved types. The yaws are made of steel and are guaranteed to give any refractory whale the toothache that takes it into his head to crush the boat between his massive jaws.

There is not the danger in whaling there used to be, and the captains make twice the money that the old New Bedford seamen got on their perilous ventures. The darting boom was invented by Captain Eben Pierce, of New Bedford, one of the whalers of the old school, who knows more about the habits of the mammoth cetacean and can tell more stories of trips in quest of sperm oil than any other resident of the quaint old Massachusetts town.

The darting bomb is about the only instrument still in use. It has a sharp point and is loaded with powder, and explodes when the spear sinks into the body of the whale. There are also a gun, too, which shoot sharp-pointed and boom lances, which act on the same principle. The center of each track has made a jump across the continent and from the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean.

Another kind of bomb is the "darting bomb," which is a small bomb that is thrown at the whale. It is a very dangerous weapon, and it is a pity that it is not used more often. The darting bomb is a very dangerous weapon, and it is a pity that it is not used more often. The darting bomb is a very dangerous weapon, and it is a pity that it is not used more often.







## KNOWLEDGE

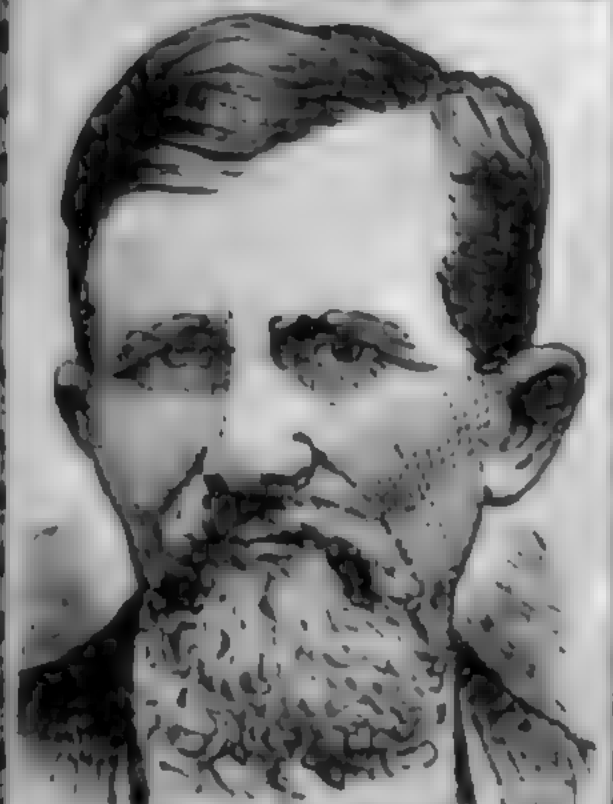
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Three ounces of tapioca, one quart of milk, two ounces of butter, quarter a pound of sugar, four eggs, flavoring of vanilla or butter almonds. Wash the tapioca and let it stew gently in the milk by the side of the stove for a quarter of an hour, occasionally stirring it; then let it cool; mix with it the butter, sugar and eggs, which should be well beaten, and flavor with either of the above ingredients. Butter a pie dish and line the edges with puff paste; put in the pudding and bake in a moderate oven. If a quart of fresh apple sauce is added before baking this will be the queen of desserts. —New York World.

### MACARONI CROQUETTES

Break into small pieces six ounces of macaroni; throw these into boiling water and boil rapidly twenty minutes. I say rapidly, because the motion of the water prevents the macaroni from sticking together. When done, drain in a colander and throw into cold water to blanch for fifteen minutes. Put a half pint of milk in a farina boiler; rub together one tablespoonful of butter and four even tablespoonfuls of flour; stir into the milk, and cook and stir continually until a thick paste is formed; then add the yolks of two eggs, cook a moment longer, take from the fire, add two tablespoonfuls of grated cheese, a palatable seasoning of salt and pepper. Drain and shake the macaroni, cut it into half inch pieces, stir these into the mixture and then out to cool. When cold, form into croquettes; dip first in egg, and then in bread crumbs, and fry in smoking hot fat. This quantity will make eighteen good-sized croquettes. —Household News.

### OYSTER SALAD

Plump and stuff one and one-half pints of small oysters, by stirring them over a hot fire for five minutes in a fry-pan that has been previously heated. Skim out and drain. Season while warm with salt, white pepper, one tablespoonful of oil, one of vinegar and two of lemon juice, and place them on the ice two hours. Cut enough white, crisp celery in small pieces to make one pint, and when ready to serve, mix this with the oysters, and the following dressing: Put the yolks of two eggs into a cold soup dish; with a fork break them slightly, and add one-half teaspoonful of salt. When light, add half a teaspoonful of dry mustard, and beat again. As soon as it thickens, add drop by drop a gill of salad oil, then half a teaspoonful of lemon juice, then five of oil (one at a time), one of vinegar, and so continue alternating lemon juice and vinegar until another gill of oil has been used. When ready to serve, mix one-half of the mayonnaise with the salad, pour the remainder over the top, and serve garnished with white celery leaves. —New York Observer.

### CANNING TOMATOES

The following recipe is given in Good Housekeeping, as a reliable method of canning the "unreliable" tomato: Wash the tomatoes and remove the stems. Have a wide kettle or agate basin of boiling water on the stove, plunge in as much fruit as is conveniently accommodated at one time, and remove with a long-handled skimmer as soon as the skins crack. Dash cold water over the tomatoes and they will almost pare themselves. Slip off the skins and lay the fruit in an earthen dish. When ready to fill the jars, set one in a milk pan and slice the tomatoes into it. With a wooden masher push down the fruit as the jar fills and turn off the juice and seeds which will rise to the top. Cooking will render the fruit quite juicy enough, and this discarding of the seeds and liquid part appears to be necessary to success.

When all the jars are filled to within three inches of the tops, lay on the covers and set the jars over the fire in a boiler of lukewarm water, placing a rack or support of some sort beneath them. A sufficient quantity to complete filling the jars may be stewed in an agate kettle, or one jar may be emptied for that purpose. As the fruit rises in the jar in boiling, push it down with a wooden spoon to release the air bubbles from the interstices of the fruit. Keep boiling for an hour. At the end of that time lift the jars out on a dry towel, fill each till it runs over, and seal immediately with a new cap. Seal the jars with a new cap.

### HOUSEHOLD HINTS

To remove tar from cloth, rub the cloth well with turpentine. Rubber should be carefully kept away from oil, as it softens and makes it unfit for use.

Almonds is a good remedy for burns. If applied to the burn immediately, it will soothe it for two hours.

Put a piece of flannel over the burn and wet it with cold water. Change it often.

Most common insect-plagues are caused by the use of the wrong kind of soap. Use a good soap, and you will avoid them.

fortunate young man who writes as follows to the San Francisco Examiner:

"I am a fairly good-looking young man, twenty-five years of age, not very large or very strong. I teach a mountain school eight months in the year for \$50 a month. During the summer vacation I pick berries for 4 cents a box. I am thirty-two miles from a railroad or postoffice, and it is not seldom I see a paper of any kind."

"I heard with the trustee of the district, a grass widow forty years old, with a family of ten children. She is determined to marry me, but wants me to pay \$25 for the divorce. As the other trustees are afraid of her she has things her own way, and I feel that I am utterly refused to comply with her request I shall lose my position and suffer physically also, as she sealed one man who refused her."

"She is a type of the coming woman—5 feet tall, weighs 200 pounds, plows her own potato field, breaks her own horses and mules and chops her own wood. Were I once hers all these duties would fall to my lot. She says that at the end of the year she can sell her potatoes for \$500, and that if I dig them, I can have her (minus \$25 for the divorce)."

"All the articles in the Examiner give advice to young ladies. Can't some one advise an unassuming young man and solve the weighty problem, shall he work or shall he wed and work?"

### Those Wooden Nutmegs

There may possibly have been an original incident among the many peddlers from Connecticut, of one who cheated by selling wooden nutmegs to his customers, but probably not, says the Hartford Times. The cost in time and labor of making such artistic frauds would more than balance the receipts. Doubtless the wooden nutmeg must go with the basswood hams.

All the same, the joke has served the purpose of giving the old-time tin peddlers and clock peddlers from Connecticut a bad name for superior cunning and trickishness. It served at least one good purpose in giving birth to one of the best toasts ever offered at a dinner—old now and well known but perfect in its way—"The Nutmeg State: Where Car Wp Find a Greater!"

### Speed of Electricity

The speed of electricity is so great that its passage from point to point along a conducting wire may be regarded as instantaneous. Various attempts have been made to measure the rate at which it travels, and observers, with delicate instruments, have affirmed that it was not less than 114,000 miles per second, and in one or two places its speed was as high as 240,000 miles.

### Libby Prison in 1865

"I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhoea ever since I came out of Libby Prison in 1865 and at times it was very severe and my last attack of it lasted me over six weeks during which time I tried all the remedies I had previously used and had several doctors treat me for the same but nothing would stop it. I was induced to try a bottle of Thurston's Blackberry Cordial and after using less than half a bottle was relieved and am once more regular. Thanks to your Cordial, I cheerfully recommend it to all the 'old boys' who are troubled with that dreaded disease or anyone else for summer complaints. This testimony is so dictated—Yours truly, J. L. Byron, Traveling Salesman."

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### An Amphibious Boat

A new Canadian invention for use in the lumber districts is coming into general use in Northern Ontario. It is called a steam warping tug. It propels itself on land as well as on water, and is used by lumbermen whose operations are carried on among small lakes connected by streams of uncertain navigation.

The vessel has proved not only a success, but a great boon to the lumber trade. Six of these unique crafts have been built by the inventors during the past season, four completed at their yard in Ottawa, and two shipped, ready to be put together at their destination in the Nipissing district.

They are built in scow shape, with steel-shod runners for moving overland; are thirty-seven feet long, ten feet beam, decked all over, and have sleeping-room for four men in the bow; the bottom and up the bow is covered with steel boiler plate. An engine twenty-two horse power furnishes steam for ten hours' work, with three quarters of a cord of wood.

In the water it moves six miles an hour forward or backward, as required, propelled by side wheels.

On land it is propelled by having a cable drum on which is coiled five-eighths of a mile of steel wire cable, which is fastened with pulleys to a tree or some object in front, the boat moving as the wire is coiled up. The boiler is hung on an axle in the center, and a screw arranged on the front enables the fireman to tip it forward or back, and keep it level going up or down hill.

It will move over an elevation of one foot in three on land, and draws about twenty-eight inches in the water.

### An Artist in Sand

A curious sight in the streets of Tokio is to see an old man seated on a smooth piece of ground having round him little piles of sand of different colors, red, blue, yellow, black, etc. Placing a pinch from each pile in his right hand, he will draw on the smooth ground the figure of a man or woman, the dress all properly colored, by the sand trickling through his fingers. It is done with great rapidity and shows remarkable dexterity.

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...of some members and the  
...of office. A suffering  
...possibly creating more  
...to the people's mind.

...to regard to the Wilson  
...letter to Mr. J. M. Brown,  
...of himself and all other  
...Virginia Representatives  
...they realize that they are  
...to support the measure  
...to the people.

...the War Association at  
...a young man was called  
...at the banquet,  
...his response said, "Our  
...years ago this was a wil  
...and loving man, and  
...efforts to resume his  
...to the death it was  
...to him."

...January 1st in Wichita, Kan.  
...was seen to drop dead on the  
...His name was found to be  
...John King; once an offi  
...the British service, and was  
...the Light Brigade whose fa  
...charges described by Tenny  
...He was highly educated and  
...property, but dressed in  
...in squalor, subsisting on  
...from the kitchens of restau  
...and hotels in Wichita. A  
...had not stayed at Butala

...lease, of Kansas, was the  
...member on the State  
...Committee, and in her ef  
...clean up matters in the in  
...of the insane and orphan  
...she incurred the displeas  
...Governor. It was one of  
...right things in a wrong  
...and she may lose her influ  
...and fail in her good  
...work. The letter of the law  
...her, the courts are appeal  
...will decide.

...most comes from Europe  
...weather has been extreme  
...ment. Seemingly have been  
...unprepared for winter that  
...perished, and extreme  
...experienced by thousands  
...adequate relief could be  
...ed. The people of Eng  
...suffered as much if not  
...any others. Every night  
...we pass under the same  
...as Europe, though at differ  
...ent, there were large plume  
...ments to do with the char  
...of the greatest. It is a sad  
...story.

PERSONAL

...Mr. Stedman, who had been  
...as having returned  
...to Yorkshire, England,  
...at Marlinton for a  
...time.

...to investigate all the instances of bri  
...connected with the recent election  
...of a United States Senator to succeed  
...the late lamented John H. Harbaur. In  
...connection with which was coupled  
...the further statement that I had been  
...summoned to appear before the body  
...in charge of the investigation.

...The facts as stated by your paper  
...were entirely correct, but at the same  
...time susceptible of a construction and  
...inference not altogether creditable to  
...myself. The usual reader of the pa  
...per, without further informa  
...tion, would naturally conclude that I  
...had been playing the role of the briber,  
...and for that reason had been arraigned

...Ordinarily I do not feel called upon  
...to explain or deny any vague imputa  
...tion that may be made against my per  
...sonal character, in this instance, how  
...ever, I feel it due to myself, and to my  
...life-long friends who read your paper,  
...to make a statement concerning my  
...connection with the investigation. And  
...just here let me say that I do not for a  
...moment believe it to have been the pur  
...pose of the Times to do me an injustice.

...Briefly the facts are these. Shortly  
...after the death of Senator Harbaur a  
...number of patriotic Virginians kindly  
...expressed a willingness to serve their  
...country in his stead; prominent among  
...these were Gen. Fitzhugh Lee and  
...young Tom Martin. The race finally  
...narrowed down to a contest between  
...these two. The lieutenants of the Gen  
...eral ridiculed the idea of a young man  
...daring to dispute his right to the po  
...sition. But the day of hero-worship has  
...about passed away in Virginia, and I,  
...with a multitude of others, did not  
...concede that the Old Dominion had no  
...worthy son outside of a few pedigreed  
...families, nor that a man should be pre  
...sented unfit for office unless he had al  
...ways had office. So general indeed  
...became the feeling that in filling a high  
...office respect should be had for one's  
...personal qualifications rather than his  
...fortuitous surroundings and prestige,  
...that the claims of the "unknown" Mar  
...tin were actually considered; and,  
...strange as it may seem, the Democratic  
...caucus nominated him. Then it was  
...that a few blind followers of Gen. Lee  
...were shocked and horrified. They  
...could not understand how a member of  
...the Legislature could have cast his  
...vote against a Lee without having sold  
...himself. Therefore, they throw up  
...their hands, and in holy indignation  
...cried, "Fraud!"

...At length a member of the legislature  
...was persuaded to offer a resolution  
...calling for an investigation. The mem  
...bers of the general assembly almost to  
...a man regarded such a movement as  
...cheerfully, but one could oppose it  
...without being put in the position of  
...seeking to conceal something.

...th, I can well admit that I possess dis  
...played commendable judgment in ex  
...ercising my choice.

...If I thought it would be of interest to  
...your readers, I should be pleased to  
...send you an occasional letter from this  
...side of the Alleghenies, bearing upon  
...topics less personal and therefore more  
...entertaining. To the Times and all its  
...readers a happy and prosperous New  
...Year. C. F. MOORE  
...Clifton Forge, Va., January 1, 1894

...GREEN BANK.  
...More rain and mud.  
...The skating party last Saturday  
...evening met at the ford of the creek  
...below J. K. Warwick and had fine  
...sport until the ice broke, and then  
...they started for home.

...The Gruffy and Pine Grove  
...schools bustered the Green Bank  
...school for a game of town ball, but  
...when the time came backed out and  
...would not come.

...Miss Emma Revercomb, the as  
...sistant teacher in the G. B. M. & F  
...Academy, is on the sick list.

...Rev. C. L. Potter preached a ve  
...ry fine sermon last Sunday, that  
...everybody ought to have heard and  
...put in practice. C. H.

...BUCKEYE.  
...News are scarce but mud is plen  
...ty.  
...Married, January 3d, at the resi  
...dence of the bride's mother, Mr.  
...Catharine Armstrong, Mr. Mike  
...Myers and Miss Lucy Armstrong,  
...by Rev. S. C. Morgan. The atten  
...dants were, J. P. Beverage and Miss  
...Belle Armstrong, O. H. Kee and  
...Miss Nannie Kimbison, Ambrose  
...Hill and Miss Annie Armstrong,  
...and Fanny Armstrong and Miss  
...Mollie Beverage.

...Three persons of this neighbor  
...hood made a hunting expedition to  
...Cranberry last week. They suc  
...ceeded in killing a squirrel and a  
...pheasant, which was all they had  
...to eat for some days while they  
...haunted their way out of the wilder  
...ness in which they had lost them  
...selves.

...Mr. Melvin Cobb, of Webster  
...county is visiting in this section.  
...R. E. Overholt & Sons are build  
...ing a new store house at Buckeye.  
...Mr. Kempe Hill was down from  
...Edray Sunday to see his girl.  
...Rev. Morgan preached a very  
...interesting sermon Sunday. He  
...will preach his farewell sermon the  
...second Sunday in February.

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times and am able to offer bargains that have never been offered in this county.  
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ness and so I protect no old and time honored customs and prices. I have bought  
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Tartan-made Clothes from the cheapest to the best and guarantee  
the best of fit.  
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"They are not to be treated," she remarked to her parents and their constant friend, "like any other kind of friend, and the best of taking and being gentle to touch you best." She observed that "fellow and comrade" in London with a shrewdness that



## A CURIOUS AFFLICTION THAT IS COMMON AMONG MALAYS.

A Form of Nervous Excitement Peculiar to a Single Race—Symptoms of the "latah."

It seldom happens that any form of disease presents an aspect as purely ludicrous in its ordinary manifestations as to be a fit subject for lay discussion. Such, however, is the singular and as yet unexplained affection known by the Malay name of "latah." As might be inferred from its title, it is, although not unknown amongst other nationalities, an almost purely Malay disease, and has naturally attracted the attention of Europeans residing in the countries peopled by the race in question. It is at the same time questionable, says the Pall Mall Gazette, whether one person in ten thousand in Great Britain has ever heard the word, or known that such a curious affliction prevails amongst any portion of the human race.

How to define latah is somewhat puzzling. If any short equivalent be desired, it may be described as an irresistible impulse to imitate the words or actions of those around them. Another form of the disease, very often not less startling to the onlooker, is the exhibition of intense nervous excitement when some particular word is mentioned—usually in the form of most abject fear. A third and less noticeable form is the exhibition of alarm at some unusual but not ordinarily terrifying sight or sound, much as a child will start at the sound of a gun, or a grown person on suddenly discovering a corpse.

The two first-named manifestations are, of course, those which strike the spectators and auditors as most strange and inexplicable. The nervous impressionability of the Malays in other ways is well known to all who have lived among them. A very slight cause will change an ordinarily placid and inoffensive native into a very demon of rage, the extreme illustration of such a mental condition being known as "running amok"—or, as foreigners usually call it, "amuck." Over and above a readiness to take offense at unjust blame, or what he considers disrespectful treatment, native public opinion considers a Malay dishonored who does not avenge a blow by taking the life of the party giving it, not at the moment, but on some subsequent occasion when the intended victim is off his guard. It would be going too far to say that a tendency to sulk and take revenge accounts for the Malay liability to latah, as many other peoples among whom the disease is unknown develop the same disposition, while almost destitute of the child-like good temper and unaffectedly good manners of the Malayan tribes. All that can be asserted is that such a disease would never exist among a phlegmatic race. Nor, again, must it be imagined that latah is of everyday occurrence. Many people have lived in the Straits Settlements for over twenty years without ever seeing a single case of it.

Let us then describe its peculiar features. The impulse to imitate the words or actions of others is sometimes evinced in not merely a ludicrous but a most distressing way. In some cases it should be premised the attack occurred only at long intervals; in others the patients are habitually subjected to the disease, and can at almost any time be compelled to exhibit it. When this results in any unpleasant consequence the latah (it is customary to apply the word both to the disease and to the patient), while quite unable to resist the strange influence exerted will keenly resist the practical joke.

An absurd manifestation of the disease was provided by a Malay woman, when, on seeing her master tear up a letter and throw it out of the window, at once followed suit with a basket of clean clothes she was carrying. No great harm, of course, resulted in this case, but tragical effects have more than once followed practical jokes with latah. The following instance, related by Mr. O'Brien, happened while the writer was residing at the place where it occurred.

The ship's cook of one of the local coasting steamers happened to be a pronounced sufferer from the disease, and, as but too commonly happens in such cases, was continually victimized by his shipmates. As a rule the effects were simply ludicrous, and happily caused the crew, who shared the fondness for horseplay prevalent among European sailors. On the occasion in question the cook was dandling "his baby" on the forward deck. One of the crew, noticing this, picked up a ball of wool, and, standing in front of the latah, commenced darning it in the same way as the latter was dandling the baby. Presently he began teasing the ball up to the ceiling, the cook watching his motions with the baby. Suddenly the sailor opened his arms and the ball fell to the deck. The unfortunate latah did the same, and the child, falling on the packing, was instantly killed.

The second form of latah mentioned

by the same author, is evinced by running away at full speed or plunging into a jungle if on shore, or by jumping overboard if in a ship or boat, at the mention of some animal or reptile. Some are thus affected if a companion shouts Ular! (a snake), others at the words Riman (tiger), or Buaya (crocodile). The strangest fact in this connection is that such patients seem to have little or no fear of the animals themselves, or certainly not more than any prudent native exhibits when meeting them in the river or jungle. Thus a man who will jump overboard in hot fear at the shout of "crocodile!" will readily stalk, and when it is disabled approach one of these reptiles. The Malay, it should be added, is an exceptionally plucky and expert hunter and woodsman, so that this particular form of nervous fright is the more remarkable.

## WISE WORDS.

Birds with bright feathers are not always fat.

Your most deadly sin is the one you love the most.

Love never has to go to school to learn how to speak.

If our eyes were better the stars would give us more light.

The wounds made by a friend are the ones that smart the most.

The trouble with the man who knows nothing is that it takes him so long to find it out.

The glory of love is that it delights in doing for nothing what nobody else will do for money.

There are communities in which Solomon would not have received any credit for his wisdom.

If sunshine had to be paid for, there are people who would declare that candle light could beat it.

Every sinner reasons that if there is happiness in the heart there ought to be some sunshine in the face.

The man has to fight for his life who undertakes to tell other men great truths that they do not know.

The sin that shines has as much death in it as the one that does not.—Ram's Horn.

## Breathing for Health.

Of all the cures which have emerged into public notice from time to time, the simplest and the most easy is that which Major-General Drayson describes in the Nineteenth Century. He calls it the art of breathing, and he seems to have hit upon it by mere accident when he was climbing a very high mountain. The rarefaction of the air at that altitude rendered it necessary for him to breathe twice as fast as he would have done at a lower level. All inconvenience caused by the rarefaction of the air disappeared when he doubled the rate of his breathing. Reflecting upon this he stumbled upon the great discovery which should immortalize him if there is anything in it. Breathing in the ordinary way he pumps fourteen pints of air into his lungs per minute, containing three pints of oxygen, with which he can sufficiently oxygenate his blood. But on ascending to 7000 feet the pumping of fourteen pints of air into his lungs per minute would only take in a pint and a half of oxygen, and as it requires three pints to oxygenate the blood, he became almost suffocated. His heart palpitated and he was in danger of his life, but by suddenly doubling the rate by which he had been breathing he found instant relief. He has tried it under a great many circumstances. Whenever he was in a vitiated atmosphere he was able to get rid of his headache and incipient palpitation of the heart by taking long breaths twice as rapidly as he would on ordinary occasions. He maintains that in a very great many cases pain, sleeplessness, headache and many other ills which flesh is heir to could be almost instantly relieved by this simple practice. Moderate exercise in the open air, upon which all doctors insist, he asserts is quite unnecessary. All that you need to do is to breathe as rapidly as if you were taking moderate exercise.

## East Indian Henna.

Henna is the East Indian name for a shrub of the genus Lawsonia. The shrub is from eight to ten feet high and bears abundantly white and very fragrant flowers; the leaves are smooth and oval. It is cultivated in India, Egypt and other Eastern countries, where it has been in use as a cosmetic from very early times, the yellow color on the nails of the Egyptian mummies being supposed to be derived from henna. It is used by the women to color their fingers and toe nails; the tips of their fingers, the palms of their hands and soles of their feet; the men use it to color their hands, and the women also apply it to their hair. It produces a rich orange color, which, it is said, the subsequent application of indigo will turn to black. The leaves and young twigs are reduced to a fine powder, mixed into a paste with hot water, and spread upon the part to be dyed, where it is usually

## THE CARGADORS OF MEXICO COMPETE WITH HORSES AND MULES.

Carrying Enormous Loads for Incredible Distances—Working Cheaper Than the Beasts of Burden.

ONE of the most interesting institutions in the Mexican republic is the cargador. This cargador is a hardy and powerfully built man who earns a living by carrying upon his back heavy loads, a cargo being a measure of weight of 300 pounds which such a person is supposed to be able to carry, hence the name cargador.

The peculiar individual is not the product of a single section of the country; on the contrary, his sphere is general. In the cities he is one of the first persons whom a stranger meets as he alights from the platform of the cars or the step of the stage coach. The cargador rushes up to the arrival and offers to carry his baggage, from his hand satchel up to his heaviest trunk, regardless of its weight, or size, or the distance to be covered. In the city he also enters into successful competition with the pack mules and delivery wagons, carrying heavy loads of merchandise to and from the business houses, and in such places where corn and fodder have become uncommonly dear through prevailing drought, or where the streets are stony and uneven, the cargador has almost entirely superseded both pack mules and delivery wagon.

While such are his chief occupations he does not draw the line at anything, and can be frequently seen carrying ore out of the mines, water through the town, and even corpse and coffin to the grave.

Out of the city the occupation of the cargador is equally diversified. Above all things he is a pack man, as the mule, horse, or ass is a pack animal, and he enters into active competition with them in the matter of carrying freight into and out of towns where railroads have not yet made their advent, or where the topography of the country precludes the use of the heavy freight wagons. In places where he has the least advantage over the animals there he thrives best. This perhaps accounts for the great numbers in which he exists in the almost inaccessible "sierra" districts.

The mountain cargador, who scales the dizzy precipices and descends the deep ravines of the Sierra Madre, is by far the hardiest and most interesting type of his class. Five feet six inches is his usual height, and 140 pounds the average weight. He belongs to the dark complexioned and ignorant portion of the masses, called by the better class of people "Indios."

As he stands before one, so short, slightly stooped, with thin, long face and apparent lack of chest, one would scarcely think him capable of walking the smoothest level with such staggering loads as he daily packs through some mountain pass. To be fully appreciated he must be seen stripped of his shirt and with his cotton trousers rolled up, ready to pick up his load. Then the powerful development of this swarthy man of the mountain can be observed at his best. His neck is one mass of hard muscles. His shoulders are broad and magnificently strong, while the actions of the large and powerful sinews can be traced at every motion that he makes. His feet, protected only by sandals, or "guaraches," as is called the hard leather sole tightly strapped between the toes, over the arch of the instep and around the ankle, have acquired a hardness that makes them impervious to the sharp and pointed rocks among which he picks his way.

Such is his physical makeup. In all other respects he is not unlike the thousands of Mexicans of the lower class—filthy and treacherous. Like people of his kind the world over, he wastes his life between the making and the spending of a penny. Food costs him but a few cents and lodging not a farthing. He rises from his out-of-door couch in the early morning hour and walks many miles before he stops for breakfast. A cup of coffee and a few hot tortillas, which are a pastry of mashed corn and water, and serve as a substitute for bread, form his morning meal. For dinner he feasts on tortillas, a plate of beans and a cup of black coffee. At supper follow more beans, more tortillas and another cup of coffee. If he is somewhat of an epicure and plays in exceptionally good luck he gets a piece of dried beef now and then or gloats over a nice fried egg. His three meals, if particularly luxurious, cost him about four cents apiece, though he often manages to live on six cents a day.

Manzanilla, the interesting seaport on the Pacific coast of the State of Sinaloa, has long been the great cargador center of Mexico, partly on account of its importance as a commercial city, and partly on account of its location at the foot of the Sierra Madre Mountains and the entrance of the various passes across them. In this city the cargador freighter loads his goods for the interior mountain towns and the cargador peddler carries

country by the daring shippers who frequent this coast.

With his stock of goods, which is limited only by the size of his exchequer, the peddler starts forth to vend his wares. One peddles notions, another drygoods and clothing, still another light housekeeping goods, and so on. Each carries his stock economically packed in a light wicker basket. This he holds and carries upon his back by means of a strong leather strap attached to the basket and fastened around his forehead. Thus, his powerful neck is brought into play and made to carry the heavy load, which rests only lightly upon his back. In this manner the cargador peddler carries his heavy burden into every village and town in the almost impassable heights of the Sierra Madre.—Chicago Times.

## SELECT SIFTINGS.

Julius Cesar is a New York cigar-maker.

The great gold fields of South Africa were discovered in 1866 by an elephant hunter named Hartley.

A resident of Missouri recently finished a guitar composed of over a thousand pieces of wood.

The organ-grinders in Vienna, Austria, are permitted to play only between midday and sunset.

The ancients regarded dancing as a necessary accomplishment. Socrates learned the art in his old age.

A farmer near Buchanan, Ga., has, it is reported, a tame rattlesnake, that has the freedom of the premises, and beats forty yard dogs keeping off intruders.

One of the largest hauls of mackerel ever known on the Western Coast, was made recently in the West Bay at Abbotbury, Dorset, when over 30,000 fine fish were landed.

Moses, the great lawgiver and reputed author of the first five books of the Bible, died on the anniversary of his birth, August 27, 1705, B. C., being exactly 120 years old.

A citizen of Pendleton, Oregon, the other day killed a rattlesnake with ten rattles and a button that was lying in the grass near some playing children, which it did not attempt to molest.

"Honey dew" has made its appearance on many of the trees and shrubs around Paris this summer, probably because of the drought. It is a shining, gumlike varnish, and has a sugary taste, but no smell, and cattle like to eat the leaves.

In 170 years after the death of Christ the whole Bible had been translated into Latin by some unknown author into what is now known as the old Italian version. By the year 200 it was extant in Greek, Syriac and Latin, and by the Ninth Century in thirteen languages.

There are probably but few sections of the country where coyotes can be seen with a brand on them, and that brand the one of the Government of the United States. It is said to be a favorite pastime of the Yakinca Indians to lariat coyotes and press the red hot brand of "I. D." (Indian Department) on their flanks.

A stupid office boy in Bangor, Me., was directed to take to the stable a livery team which his employer had just used. He brought the team to the wrong stable, where it remained for a week. The owner of the stable has sent in a bill for the board of the horses, and the owner of the horses wants pay for the use of the team for a week.

## The Science of Sleeping.

The old-time superstitious belief that human beings should sleep with their heads toward the north is now believed to be based upon a scientific principle. Some French savants have made experiments upon the body of a criminal who had suffered death, and these tests go to prove that each human body is in itself an electric battery, one electrode being represented by the head and the other by the feet. The body of the subject upon which the queer experiments mentioned above were made was taken immediately after death and placed upon a pivoted board, free to move in any direction. After some little vacillation the head portion turned toward the north and then remained stationary. One of the experimenters took hold of the pivot and turned it so that the head pointed south, but upon being freed it almost immediately resumed the first named position—turned until the head pointed north. To prove that this was neither accident nor coincident upon muscular twitching, someone had suggested, the board was repeatedly turned half around and then freed, but always with similar results.—Chicago Herald.

## The Creole Horse.

This is a distinctive horse, which originated during the war along the Gulf coast, when many planters allowed their thoroughbred mares to escape. The latter bred with the native horses, and the result is a breed that rarely reaches thirteen hands. These diminutive horses are well spirited, and



Some of the new satins are in strong coloring.

No man ever saw a woman as a woman sees her.

The silk gingham is shown in autumn colors.

A woman's riding club in California will not use the side saddle.

Mrs. Temple, the wife of the Bishop of London, is a shorthand writer.

Mrs. Paron Stevens is called the best natured woman in New York society.

Georgia has an exceedingly capable young woman lawyer, Miss Dora O. Sandoe.

George Sand, when overexcited by writing, employs herself in sewing in order to sooth her nerves.

The place of Maria Mitchell as Professor of Astronomy at Vassar College has been filled by Miss Mary E. Whitney.

In 1264 a London priest preached against the fashion of trains, which, he says, "trailing behind a woman raise a dust as high as the altar."

The new factory inspection law of Pennsylvania requires that of the deputy inspectors five shall be women. They receive a salary of \$1200 a year.

Pocahontas did not save the life of John Smith. It has been ascertained that this worthy man was the most able-bodied prevaricator of his century.

The Empress of Japan is an adept performer on the koto, a kind of large zither. It is an instrument that is much played and very popular in Japan.

Among ladies who are enthusiastic in the use of rifles is Mrs. Pierre Lorillard, of New York. She often goes out with her husband for a day's shooting.

So valuable are her jewels that Mrs. Potter Palmer never attends a party of any kind to which she wears them without a private detective to form a part of her escort.

Mark Twain's eldest daughter, Miss Clara Clemens, not yet twenty years of age, has written a play of an allegorical character which is said to be charming and clever.

A home for American girls who wish to study in Paris is to be established in that city. It is to be constructed on the Rue de la Pompe, and will accommodate forty girls.

Miss Grunettrig, a leader in movements connected with the higher development of women in Denmark, has been appointed a stenographer in the Danish House of Representatives.

New silks, double faced in the light and dark shades of one color, are in a peculiar weave that is a kind of armure brocade. The lighter tone strikes through on to the dark in small figures or flower and leaf designs.

The Queen of the Belgians is very fond of music, a good pianist and a performer on the harp. She has composed one opera called "Wanda." The King hates music, and when the piano is opened he vanishes from the room.

All the suitors for a girl's hand in Borneo are expected to be generous in their presents to her. These presents are never returned. Therefore, the wily female defers as long as possible a positive selection of the happy man.

Women have invaded the territory of the friendly societies by establishing a feminine branch of the Ancient Order of Foresters. The Queen of England has now consented to become patroness of the branch, which is to bear the distinctive title of the Court Victoria.

By a recently issued imperial edict, women are hereafter debarred from acting as editors of Japanese papers, even in the conduct of cooking and household journals or departments. Somebody near the throne has been caught on the result of one of the delicious pie or cake receipts.

In the West Indies the fireflies are very large and are frequently caught and confined in netting for personal ornaments. A lady will sometimes appear in a ballroom with red, green, yellow and blue lights on her head and shoulders, the tiny illuminations being caused by captured insects.

Mrs. Phoebe Hearst, whose late husband was Senator Hearst, is one of the leading club women in California, as Mrs. Wolcott, wife of Senator Wolcott, is in Colorado. Both these ladies are well known in the East, having spent many years in Washington. Mrs. Hearst delights in giving beautiful pictures to women's clubs, and Mrs. Wolcott is erecting drinking fountains for horses in large cities.

The Siamese girls are the most graceful women in the world. Their joints are very supple, and a part of their education is made up of bending their joints back and forth to make them so. They are all short haired, and when young they are as plump as partridges and as straight as the palm trees of their own beautiful land. As they



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## Election Precincts.

By Order of the County Court.

State of West Virginia,

County of Pocahontas, to-wit:

At a session of the County Court of said pocahontas county, held at the court house thereof on the 5th day of January, 1894, being a continuation of the regular session of said court, commencing on the first Tuesday in January, 1894, the said court proceeded, in pursuance to an order of continuance made on the 4th day of October, 1893, to be found of record in the regular "Order Book" of this court, and in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of West Virginia passed February 23, 1893, being Chapter 25 of the Acts of 1893, to divide the four Magisterial Districts of this, the said Pocahontas county, into Election Precincts, establish the number and boundaries of each, and designate the place of holding elections in each of said precincts, which is done as follows:

District No. 1. (Green Bank)

This district is divided into three precincts numbered and bounded as follow:

Precinct No. 1. Commencing at the county line between this county and Randolph on Cheat Mountain, west of David Hevener's and running a straight line to the dividing line between David Hevener and Jas. H. Gum, thence a straight line to the road south of G. W. and Urah Phillips on the county road leading from Green Bank to Traveler's Repose, thence a straight line to the intersection of the Ridge road with the Staunton and Parkersburg turnpike and with said road to the State Line between Virginia and West Virginia, thence with said line to the line between Pocahontas and Pendleton counties, thence with the line between said Pocahontas and Pendleton counties to the line between Randolph and Pocahontas counties thence with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house nearest Traveler's Repose.

Precinct No. 2. Commencing at a point on the line between the counties of Pocahontas and Randolph and west of the McLaughlin church on Back Alleghany Mountain, thence to said church, thence to a point 5 rods south of Allen Galford's residence, thence to a point on the Huntersville & Green Bank road midway between the cross roads school house and Dr. Col's old lumber camp above Harry M. Moore's, thence to Glad Hill school house, thence due east to the line between the States of Virginia and West Virginia on top of Alleghany Mountain, thence northward along the line between said States to the corner on said line of election precinct no. 1, and thence with the line of precinct no. one to the line between Pocahontas and Randolph counties, and thence with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the village of Green Bank.

Precinct No. 3. Commencing at same point as precinct no. 2, thence eastward with the lines of said precinct to the line between the States of Virginia and West Virginia thence southward along the line between said States to the corner on said line of the Green Bank and Huntersville districts, thence westward with the line between said districts to the corner of said line between Edray and Green Bank districts, thence with line of said districts to the line between the counties of Randolph and Pocahontas, thence northward with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the village of Dalton.

District No. 2 (Edray).

This district is divided into three precincts numbered and bounded as follows:

Precinct No. 1. Commencing on Greenbrier at the upper end of the John J. Kinnison place, thence a straight line to the Lewisburg and Marlinton turnpike on the division line between the counties of Moore and Clanton, thence with the line of said turnpike and with said line to the head of the Lick Run and down a creek to a dam and down same to the head of a pines by said creek, thence to a survey of 2650 acres made for Paul McNeel, the twenty-first day of May, 1860, and with said line to the top of a black mountain, a cliff of rocks, and thence to the Edmiston survey of 1000 acres, and thence with said line between said survey of 3943 acres and a survey of 2850 acres made for Paul McNeel and John Yeager to a point due west of the mouth of Day Run, thence leaving said line and running due east to the mouth of said Run, thence a straight line through the first low place to the top of the Big Knob on Day's Mountain, thence to Levi Gay's barn on the Griffin place, thence to Mrs. Nancy Raul's barn, thence to the mouth of Raul's Run on Stony Creek, thence with said creek to the mouth of the Indian Draft, thence to Gibson's stone quarry, thence to a large rock on the east side of Greenbrier river above Gro Gibson's house, thence a straight line to a large rock with a waterfall by the road about 2 and one-half miles from Greenbrier bridge at Marlinton, thence a straight line crossing Kapp's Creek to an island below the mouth of Buckley fording, thence down the river and with the same to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the town of Marlinton.

Precinct No. 2. Commencing at a large rock on the northern side of Greenbrier river, thence with line of the same to Gibson's stone quarry, thence to the mouth of Indian Draft on Stony Creek, thence with said creek to the mouth of Raul's Run, thence to Mrs. Raul's barn, thence to Levi Gay's barn on the Griffin place, thence to the top of "Big Knob" on Day's Mountain, thence crossing at the first low place to the mouth of Day's Run, thence due west to the district line on a 2850 acre survey made for Paul McNeel and John Yeager, and following said lines to the Webster county line, thence running northward with the Pocahontas county line to the Gauley river, thence running up said river to its head, thence a straight line to Gibson's cattle scales by the side of the Marlins Bottom and Huntersville turnpike, thence a straight line to a point two poles south of the residence of Jas. Gibson, Jr., thence a straight line to a point two poles south of the residence of Clark Rider, thence to a point on top of the mountain where the road crosses to same, thence following the top of the mountain to a point two poles north of the house on A. M. McLaughlin's land, thence following the top of the mountain and the divide of the waters to a point hereinafter mentioned in boundary of precinct no. 3 as the intersection of the line of top of Clover Lick Mountain with the line made running westward on same direction as division line between lands of Isaac Shinnaberry and Abraham Shinnaberry, thence eastward along line of precinct no. three to the lower corner, thence to the Pease school house, thence with the public road to the the beginning of precinct no. three, thence with Greenbrier river to a large rock on east side of river above Geo. J. O. H. H. H. the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the town of E.

Precinct No. 3. Commencing

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Shinnaberry with their line up Clover creek to its head and continuing said section to top of same, thence following the top of the mountain with divide of the waters to a point two poles north of the house on A. M. McLaughlin's land, thence following same top to where the road crosses the said mountain, thence down the hollow to a point two poles south of Clark Rider's residence, thence a straight line to a point two poles south of the residence of James Gibson, Jr., thence a straight line to Gibson's cattle scales on the Marlins Bottom and Huntersville turnpike, thence a straight line to the head of Gauley river, thence with said river to the western county line of Pocahontas county, thence northward along said line and around with the same and common line of Magisterial District No. 2 to where said line crosses the Gauley river, corner of Magisterial District No. 1, thence in a southerly direction to the head of Glade Run, thence a straight line to the low place in a ridge west of Barnett's, thence a straight line to the mouth of Clover creek, thence to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this Precinct shall be at the Public School House nearest Split Rock.

District No. 3 (Huntersville.) This District is divided into two precincts numbered and bounded as follows:

Precinct No. 1. Commencing at a point on Greenbrier river opposite Paul Sharp's, thence a straight line running eastward to a point 10 rods North of W. H. Dille's residence, thence a straight line to a point 10 rods South of Gratton Westford's residence, thence a straight line to a point 10 rods north of Samuel Harper's milk thence a straight line to the Virginia and West Virginia line, thence northward with said line to the line dividing the Green Bank and Huntersville Districts, thence with said line to the mouth of the Gauley river, and thence with the Edray and Huntersville districts line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this Precinct shall be at the Public school house at Frost.

Precinct No. 2. Commencing at same point as Precinct No. 1, thence with the lines of said Precinct No. 1 to the line between the States of Virginia and West Virginia, thence Southward with lines between said States to the corner of line between Greenbrier and Pocahontas counties, thence with the County line between said counties to the district line between the Little Levels and Huntersville Districts, thence with said line to the line between the Edray and Huntersville Districts and with the same to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this Precinct shall be at the Public School House in the town of Huntersville.

District No. 4 (Little Levels.) This District is divided into three precincts numbered and bounded as follows:

Precinct No. 1. Commencing at a point where Cranberry river crosses the Greenbrier line, and thence up with the meanders of same river to the mouth of Charles creek and thence up Charles Creek and the branch of same that heads at the Cranberry road at John B. Kinnison's old Sugar Camp, and thence with said road to the point that divides the waters of West Creek from the waters that run into the McCorkle place, and thence with said divide, keeping the head of the waters that run into the said McCorkle place to a white oak and sugar tree corner to the land of A. M. Edgar and J. W. Kinnison, and with their line to the land of Preston S. Clark, and with said Clark and Edgar's line to James Bright's land and thence with said Bright and

thence along and across the pike to the corner of M. J. McNeel and Nathaniel Kinnison and with their line to James Jordan and thence with said Jordan and Kinnison line to James Houz's land, thence with said Kinnison and Houz's line to William Kinnison's land, thence with said Houz and said William Kinnison line to Henry McCoy's land and thence with McCoy line and Kenny Wade line to Christpher Lewis' line, and with said Lewis to the corner between the lands of David Smith, Dec'd, and Allen Kinnison, and with their line to Greenbrier River and thence a straight line to the forks of Lick Run just above Allen Coulter's House, and thence with the meanders of the branch that heads against spire Run to the dividing ridge between said two runs, and thence with said dividing ridge to the top of Beaver Lick Mountain or the Greenbrier County line and thence with the top of said mountain or the Greenbrier line to the corner of the Huntersville district and with several lines given by same to Greenbrier river at the corner of the Edray District and thence with the several lines given by the Edray district line to the County line of Webster County and with same to the county line of Greenbrier and with said line to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house nearest the town of Mill Point.

Precinct No. 2. Commencing at a point where Cranberry River crosses the greenbrier county line (the place where the first precinct begins) and with the greenbrier county line to the road known as the Nicholas road and with the meanders of said road to where it intersects the road leading from Hillsboro to Lobelia, and thence with the last mentioned road (in the direction of Lobelia) to where the road intersects coming up the Brown Mountain, thence with the meanders of the last mentioned road to the pike, thence with the pike to the greenbrier county line thence with the said line to the corner of the first Election precinct on the top of Beaver Lick mountain, and thence with the lines of the first election precinct as heretofore given to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in this precinct shall be at the public school house in the town of Hillsboro.

Precinct No. 3. Commencing where said Nicholas road crosses the Greenbrier county line, and with the several lines of said Greenbrier county to where they cross the pike corner to the 2nd Election Precinct, and thence with the several lines given in the said Election Precinct to the beginning. And the place of holding elections in the Precinct shall be at the Public School House nearest Lobelia. And the Clerk of this Court is required to furnish for immediate publication an attested copy of this to the Editor of the "Pocahontas Times," the only newspaper published in this County and post an attested copy thereof at the front door of the Court House of this County, and cause all other notices required by section 6, Chapter 25, of the Acts of the Legislature for the year 1893, to be posted as required in said section.

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WRITER in the New York Herald says: Uncle Sam's strong box is situated at Wall, Nassau and Pine streets and is officially known as the New York Sub-Treasury. The average individual who passes it by on either of the three thoroughfares is thoroughly acquainted with its massive granite walls, huge columns and severely classic style of Grecian architecture. Half way up the long flight of stone steps which communicates with the main entrance in Wall street stands a bronze statue of Washington of heroic size, keeping watch and ward, as it were, over the vast treasure within. Upon the same site in 1789 and for a score of years later was Federal Hall, standing upon the balcony of which the Father of His Country took the oath of office as the first President of the United States. The building, therefore, rests upon historic ground, which lends to it a double charm and connects the present with the past. Washington no doubt had an abiding faith in the destiny of his country, and



MAIN FLOOR OF THE SUB-TREASURY.

believed that it would attain an important place among the nations of the earth, but never, it is safe to assume, did his mind picture the transformations that have come to pass over the site of the old colonial hall within the brief space which separates his generation from the present. Then the country was emerging from the effects of a devastating war and was without a revenue or public credit. Now its resources are boundless, and its credit, unshaken by a financial storm, stands pre-eminent among the nations of the earth. On the site where in 1789 the infant Republic was launched forth upon an unknown and untraversed sea, without a penny in its coffers, stands its treasure house in which is stored wealth beyond the dreams of avarice or the combined fortunes of Croesus of old or Monte Cristo of modern times. Within the gray granite walls of the New York Sub-Treasury are transacted two-thirds of the entire financial operations of the United States Government. In 1892 its receipts were \$1,259,750,591.36 and its disbursements were \$1,379,579,904.24. This would have shown a deficit but for the fact that the Sub-Treasury had a small balance of \$138,072,240.63 left over from

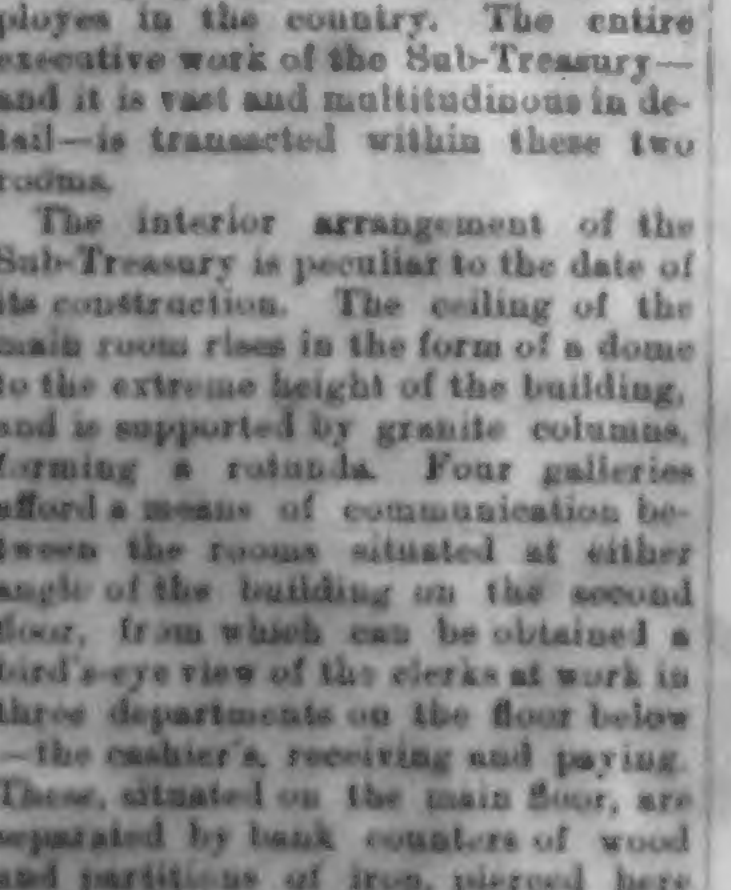


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the year before, and hence a year ago last June, when the balance was struck, the Government found that it had stored in the New York Sub-Treasury the sum of \$118,221,977.63 to meet the needs of the fiscal year of 1893.

this a trifling amount, but frequently been exceeded by a hundred or two millions more. The building fairly groans under the weight of gold and silver and heaps of copper and nickel and huge stacks of bills. Stored neatly in little steel cubby holes, inside huge vaults, themselves incased in metal and granite, or scattered around on desks or counters, undergoing the process of weighing and counting, the building fairly reeks with wealth. The very air seems impregnated with an odor of riches. In one instance this amounts to an embarrassment, for in the case of the silver dollars, forty millions of which are stored in a series of vaults in the basement, the heavy iron lattice work and huge steel bars are bulging out of place under the enormous pressure of 1200 tons of silver, for \$1,000,000 of silver weighs thirty tons, and \$40,000,000 is the burden of the vault. Under ordinary circumstances the Sub-Treasury handles very little coin. The metal lays stored away in the vaults in neat canvas bags, \$5000 in each one containing gold and \$1000 in each bag of silver. At the present time, however, all this is changed. The Government has suspended the issue of gold certificates against deposits of that metal, the free silver dollars are exhausted, and only those secured by silver certificates remain in the vaults; the Clearing House balances are settled in actual coin, gold is coming in and going out, is weighed and counted, and the passer by in Nassau street at the corner of Pine hears all day long the clink and clatter of metal. At any time a visit to the Sub-Treasury is interesting, but it is particularly so now. Walk up the long flight of stone steps leading from

Wall street to the main entrance of the building any morning after 10 o'clock, pass by the guardian statue of Washington and between the huge granite columns which support the projecting roof, and you enter a cool, lofty counting room. Standing at the main entrance between two supporting granite columns similar to those outside, the view is unobstructed to the Pine street, or rear, entrance of the building. Before another step is taken the visitor becomes at once aware of the overpowering strength and massiveness of the structure. He has passed through a doorway of solid granite blocks six feet in depth, guarded by an outer door of huge iron bars, an inner door of heavy steel plates and a frame door the projecting rivets in the surface of which bears testimony that it is metal abashed. On either side of the entrance is a room of comfortable proportions. That on the left, or Nassau street side, bears the words over the door, "Assistant Treasurer," while to the right are the quarters of the Cashier and Acting Assistant Treasurer. The one is occupied by Conrad N. Jordan, the other by Maurice L. Muhleman, one of the most popular, painstaking and thoroughly efficient Government employees in the country. The entire executive work of the Sub-Treasury—and it is vast and multitudinous in detail—is transacted within these two rooms. The interior arrangement of the Sub-Treasury is peculiar to the date of its construction. The ceiling of the main room rises in the form of a dome to the extreme height of the building, and is supported by granite columns, forming a rotunda. Four galleries afford a means of communication between the rooms situated at either angle of the building on the second floor, from which can be obtained a bird's-eye view of the clerks at work in three departments on the floor below—the cashier's, receiving and paying. These, situated on the main floor, are separated by bank counters of wood and partitions of iron, pierced here and there by the familiar pigeonholes of a bank. In fact, the entire appearance of the main room of the Sub-Treasury suggests the arrangements of a large bank as they existed two score years ago. The departments of the Sub-Treasury are the cashier's, receiving and



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the year before, and hence a year ago last June, when the balance was struck, the Government found that it had stored in the New York Sub-Treasury the sum of \$118,221,977.63 to meet the needs of the fiscal year of 1893.

and superintending. The names of these in most instances simply describe in a general way the nature of the work performed. The duties of the authorities department, however, are peculiar. In it are kept the lists of corporations having business relations with the Government and the names of the officials of each who are authorized to sign and receipt for checks. In the accounting department are kept, in addition to the general accounts of the Sub-Treasury, the account of the Post Office Department, always maintained separately, and the accounts of the disbursing officers of the United States Army and Navy, etc. At the present time the daily balance in the Sub-Treasury averages about \$125,000,000. It runs, however, at times as high as \$225,000,000, a sum of money of which the ordinary mind can form no conception. Naturally enough every safeguard is taken for the protection of this immense treasure. The casual observer of the Sub-Treasury building knows full well its massive exterior. Its full strength, however, is not apparent until after a careful scrutiny of the interior. The building itself was constructed for the purposes of the Custom House in 1832 and used as such until 1862. Strong as it was originally it was, in remodeling, made absolutely impregnable. A board of United States army officers were interested with the work, and as it stands to-day it contains many features of a fortress. The walls in the basement are eight feet thick and are built of solid granite blocks. No part of the walls anywhere are less than four feet through. All the partitions between the rooms are of masonry. The ceilings are concrete, all the floors are of stone or metal and the various doors are of steel plate. The treasure is stored in five principal vaults, three of which hold the greater proportion. These are the gold vault, the note vault and the vault in which is stored the silver dollars. The first two are on the main or rotunda floor, while the other is a huge cavern in the cellar of the building. The vaults on the main floor are bombproof and burglar proof and proof against everything else short of a general cataclysm. That in the cellar is equally so. The walls of the building forming the sides of the vaults are eight feet thick, and masonry encases them on all sides, saving where the entrance doors pierce through. The ceilings of the upper vaults are about twelve feet in height and the dimensions perhaps twelve by fourteen feet.

An Autumn Bonnet.  
A stylish little bonnet for autumn is made of velvet with just a touch of gold lace about it. In shape it is



rather long. The low crown is covered with a dark, rich wine-colored velvet. Where the velvet touches the hair the gold lace appears. Graceful loops of the velvet and wings decorate the front with a gold feathery aigrette in the center. The tie strings are wider than those worn last season.—New York World.

The Little One's Guardian Angel.



"Aunt, here I a guardian angel!"  
"Certainly, my dear. I am your guardian angel!"—Fleeting Nipper.

of them, yet, strange to say, notwithstanding the vast number of scientific expeditions hitherto, none of them has been discovered before. The corkscrews are siliceous, and they are found in a siliceous sandstone. In many places they stick through the sand rock of the hills, the stone being worn off by the elements, and the siliceous spiral, being harder, having remained. It is no trouble, the professor says, to strip the sand away from them. It is rather soft, and the men can work fast. Some of the strange spirals are coiled about a central spire, like a vine about a tree. Then at the bottom or root of the spire are curious protuberances each way, and rising toward the surface of the ground at something like thirty-one degrees. They are often quite as long as the corkscrew spiral. "These devil's corkscrews which stick out over Pine Ridge and border on the Bad Lands," said Professor Marshland to a Chronicle man, "are most singular things. Nobody knows what they are or how they were made. At first it was thought by some that the spirals were caused by some sort of a burrowing, the theory being that some animal had burrowed, rabbit-like, and that the hole had filled with siliceous sand and hardened. But this theory wouldn't do, because it appeared that whatever the spirals were they were of marine formation, and whether animal or vegetable, had grown under the sea. From all we could gather we are inclined to believe the devil's corkscrews are a curious form of the sponge, yet even that is by no means certain. Other remarkable things were what we found imbedded in them and forming a part. Once we found the skeleton of a little animal like a rat, and at another time we found the skeleton of a snake."



GIANT DEVIL'S CORKSCREW, EIGHT FEET HIGH, DISCOVERED AT PINE RIDGE.

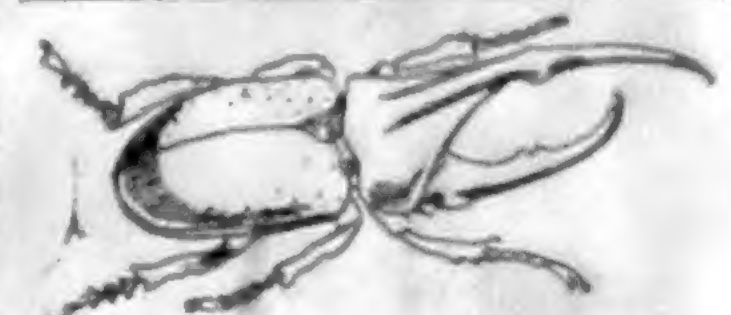
The corkscrew region extends from the Niobrara River to Pine Ridge and almost to the Hat Creek Basin. The corkscrews are almost as true as if made by a lathe and are right-handed and left-handed indiscriminately. The great transverse pieces, called rhizomes or underground stems, project in all directions out of the banks and bluffs like logs. Some are as large as ordinary barrels, others as large as hogsheads. When half disclosed in the bluffs they look like large sawlogs.

Combinations in Locks.  
It has been proved that in a patent lock, with an average sized key having six "steps," each capable of being reduced in height twenty times, the number of changes will be 86,400; further, that as the drill-pins and the pipes of the keys may be made of three different sizes, the total number of changes would be 2,592,000. In keys of the smallest size the total number would be 648,000, while in those of extraordinary size it could be increased to not less than 7,776,000 different changes.—St. Louis Republic.

According to ancient custom the Queen of England has forwarded to the Lord Mayor four fat bucks from Bushey Park and to the City Sheriffs three bucks. This usage had its origin in the times in which the city had rights of hunting in the royal forests and parks. Similar presents are made in due season in January of each year.

In British India the number of persons adhering to the sects of the ancient Brahmanic religions is estimated at 211,000,000. There are 7,000,000 Buddhists, 3,000,000 Parsees, 57,000,000 Mahomedans, and 2,000,000

beetles alive, and the huge insect seems to be doing uncommonly well, as it has a capital appetite. It was caught in the Island of Dominica and brought here by a sailor. It is fully six inches long from the tip of the upper branch of its pincers to the end of its body. The head is jet black, and from it grows out a long black horn, somewhat irregular in shape. The lower surface of this horn is covered with deep, gold-colored bristles, which no doubt aid in holding whatever the beetle seizes. Another but shorter horn grows out from the thorax, and the two form a powerful pair of pincers, with the body for a handle. The elytra, or wing covers, are of a dirty dapple gray, while the upper part of the body is black. There are six powerful legs armed with claws, which easily sink into the human flesh, while a nip from the pincers is a thing to be remembered, even when the insect has only begun to pinch.—New York Tribune.



HERCULES BEETLE.

Historic Church.  
The honor of being the oldest Methodist Episcopal Church in China belongs to Tien Ang Dong, or the Church of the Peace of Heaven at Foo-Chow. It was built in 1856. From that beginning great things

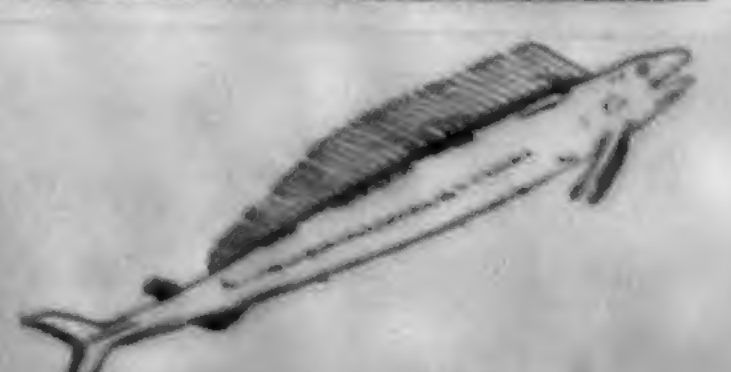
have come. Scores of Christian churches may now be found within the bounds of the Foo-chow conference with an aggregate attendance of about 6000 members and probationers at their regular Sunday services. From Foo-Chow went out the men who founded Central China and North China M. E. Missions, and there are now connected with them over 2000 Chinese Christians. Tien Ang Dong at Foo-Chow is the mother of all the churches in which these thousands now worship. Foo-Chow is the chief center of Methodist work in South China. They have there an Anglo-Chinese college, theological school, boys' boarding school, girls' boarding school, women's school and women's hospital. The numbers of Christians connected with these institutions has increased so that the Chinese edifice will not accommodate them. Last year a gallery was added, but even now this is too small. Efforts are now being made to raise a fund for rebuilding the Tien Ang Dong edifice with twice the present capacity.—Mail and Express.



CHINA'S OLDEST M. E. CHURCH.

Fish or Sea Serpent?  
The fishing schooner James B. Stetson, Captain William Wolfe of Provincetown, brought to T. wharf a fish that comes nearer, probably, being a seaserpent than anything yet captured. The curiosity in question is about five

feet long, and is nearly the same size at the tail as at the head. It is slender, not being over seven inches in circumference at the largest portion of its body, resembling, save for its fin-tail, a snake. There is a long fin some ten inches high, running nearly the entire length of its back. It has a head shaped very much like that of a box constrictor, and its teeth are long and very sharp. One upper tooth is one and one-half inches in length, about one-quarter or three-eighths of an inch wide, and as sharp as a needle at the point. The jaws are long and when open in an ordinary position reach eight inches apart at the end of the nose.



AN ODD FISH.

The fish is of a bluish color. The tail fins are large, and the two fins under its jaws are exceptionally large for its size, measuring not less than eight inches in length. The skin was